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Victoria Daily Times

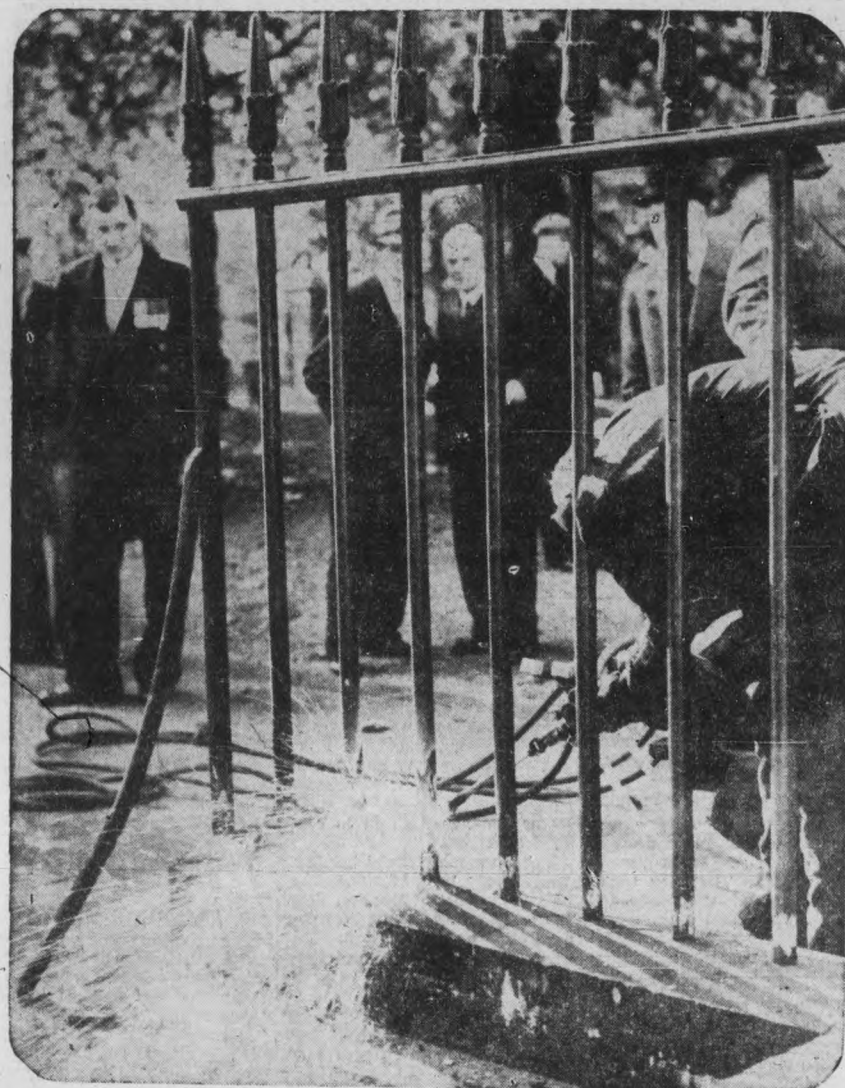
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PRICE FIVE CENTS



KING GEORGE SAID 'CUT IT DOWN'—A workman makes the sparks fly as he uses an acetylene torch to cut down a section of the iron spiked picket fence around Buckingham Palace. King George recently ordered sections of the railings and gates to be removed for use in the manufacture of tanks and other weapons of war.

Pattullo to Face House Dec. 2 Calls Coalition Move 'Rush Act'

The new British Columbia Legislature, consisting of 21 Liberals, 14 C.C.F., 12 Conservatives and one Labor member, will be called into assembly on December 2, first day on which it is legally possible.

Until then the confusion left by Tuesday's general election may not be cleared up.

Premier Pattullo will leave for Ottawa Sunday with Finance Minister John Hart to work out with the federal government the details of the income tax transfer and when a draft of the agreement is reached the Premier will submit it to the Legislature for decision.

The government, the Premier stressed, will not sign any agreement on the income tax, but must have the details clear so that it can present them to the House.

That was the political situation so far as it emanated from the Legislative Buildings.

Elsewhere there was still unofficial discussion of coalition moves and attempts to insure a stable government without the necessity of a further election.

A three-party union government, proposed by Conservative leader R. L. Maitland, K.C., was eliminated by the refusal of the C.C.F. to join such a cabinet.

Premier Pattullo in a formal

statement, said attempts were being made to do the "rush act" and precipitate some action on coalition before the official results of the election were known.

He said:
"Even before the election returns are complete, the date for official counting starting November 12, attempts are being made to do the rush act and precipitate some action by myself in the way of a coalition administration."

"I have heretofore refrained from any public statement until the situation was clarified. It now appears that my election is assured so that I may speak as one with authority."

CONGRATULATED

"I take this opportunity to congratulate the leaders of the two oppositions upon the gains which they have secured."

"The reason that I am proceeding to Ottawa without delay is that some action must be taken at the approaching session of the Legislature in respect of the income tax, otherwise we would have to proceed with the collection of the present income tax which I do not think that anyone in the province desires."

"After discussions with Ottawa we will know our position in detail and when I return I shall not only be glad to make known the whole situation to the leaders of the two oppositions, but to the

public generally, so that we will be in a position to know what should be done at the approaching session of the Legislature."

FULL CABINET MEETS

Decision to call the House together on December 2 was announced by the Premier after a full meeting of the cabinet, first since the election.

Writes of the election, certify the new members, are not returnable until December 1, so that technically speaking December 2 is the first day they could meet.

The Premier was asked whether the House would meet for a few days and adjourn, or continue in session.

"How can I say that now," he said. "There are many things to be thought over."

The Premier was asked if there would be any immediate changes in the cabinet, in view of the fact the two ministers representing Vancouver city were defeated at the polls. He had nothing to say on this question.

In the meantime, the talk of coalition or union government had apparently reached a standstill, for the moment at least, after Mr. Winch's rejection of the three-party government offer.

So far as could be learned Mr. Pattullo had not made any approaches to Conservative leader Maitland on possibility of union. Mr. Winch rejected the three-party union after a meeting in

Vancouver with other elected members of the C.C.F.

His full statement follows:

"At the outset I wish to state that in the future as in the past, the C.C.F. will give full co-operation on all measures and policies which contribute to an efficient prosecution of the war, but it would however, in our judgment, not be in the best interests of the province or of the war effort for the C.C.F. to go into partnership with Liberal and Conservative parties in a union government, in view of our fundamentally different policies."

"The C.C.F. firmly believe in a policy of immediate action to mobilize the resources of British Columbia on a nonprofit basis, and to develop unused resources and new industries under the principle of public ownership. Both the Liberals and the Conservatives, on the other hand, believe in carrying on our war effort on the profit basis. We must also realize that the major jurisdiction of provincial autonomy is related to domestic problems where again there lies a vast difference between Liberal and Conservative policy and that of the C.C.F."

NOT ANALAGOUS

"Mr. Maitland appeals to the Liberal and C.C.F. parties to form a union government on the basis that Great Britain has done so.

But the situation is far from analagous. Britain's government is charged with the entire direction and control of the war effort in an emergency situation under enemy bombs.

"Backed by the organized might of trade union and co-operative movements, British labor knows that it has the power to assure the protection of democratic rights, even while surrendering temporarily the safeguard of parliamentary opposition. But we find that in New Zealand and Australia, where public safety still permits, the labor government are most willing for the old line parties to continue in their role of opposition and criticism which are essential parts of democracy."

"In addition it is obviously impossible to compare the limited functions of a provincial government in Canada with the all-embracing powers of a unitary government."

"In view of these considerations I can only repeat, with the full support of the C.C.F. legislative group, my statement of Wednesday last that it seems imperative and inevitable that the Liberal and Conservative parties, being based on the common principle of supporting the system of private enterprise, should coalesce, to form the government of British Columbia."

Final Bulletins

H.M.S. BROADWATER 7 Nazis Bagged SUNK BY NAZIS

LONDON (CP)—The British destroyer Broadwater has been torpedoed and sunk while on escort duty in the north Atlantic, the Admiralty announced tonight.

On the day before her sinking the Broadwater had attacked and "probably destroyed a U-boat," the Admiralty said.

The Broadwater was formerly the United States destroyer Mason turned over to Britain.

5 Die in Crash

HAMILTON FIELD, Cal. (AP)—United States army officers reported a B18A bomber crashed on the highest Twin Sisters Peaks 25 miles from here today, killing its crew of five officers and men.

The peaks rise out of the Vaca Mountain range, 40 miles north-east of San Francisco.

Commands AA's

OTTAWA (CP)—Maj. A. E. M. Bell-Irving, Vancouver, has been promoted to lieutenant-colonel and to command an anti-aircraft regiment, it was announced today.

Saved From Flood

RIO RICO, Mexico (AP)—Rescue workers reported they had successfully evacuated all the persons marooned on a slowly-crumbling island in the middle of the turbulent, rain-swollen Rio Grande.

Thrown and Killed

KAMLOOPS, B.C. (CP)—Donald Peter Allan, 16-year-old son of Mrs. Robert M. Allan of Kamloops, died today of head injuries suffered when he was thrown from a horse yesterday at a ranch 25 miles from here.

Infant Kidnapped

FITCHBURG, Mass. (AP)—Two-month-old Kenneth A. McLean was kidnapped, allegedly by a woman, today from his carriage, left on the sidewalk by his mother while she was in a main street department store.

The McLean's are in modest circumstances.

Italians Lose Ship

LONDON (CP)—An Italian armed merchant cruiser was torpedoed by a British submarine in the central Mediterranean and probably sunk, the Admiralty announced today.

The vessel was of the 5,413-ton Citta di Genova class, the communique said.

Petain Offers Self?

VICHY (AP)—An official communique was issued tonight taking cognizance of rumors here that Marshal Petain "wished to give himself up as a hostage in the occupied zone" to prevent pending mass reprisal executions at Nantes and Bordeaux.

"The marshal's cabinet has no declaration to make on the subject," the brief communique concluded.

The 85-year-old chief of state, France's hero of Verdun, has made repeated appeals to his people to stop the assassinations which prompted the reprisal killings.

(See execution and reprieve story page 3.)

Madden to Speak

VANCOUVER (CP)—An account of the part played by H.M.S. Warspite in the battle of Narvik, Bardia, Mattapan and Crete will be given by Commander Sir Charles Madden, executive officer of the battleship, in an address to the board of trade here October 31.

Sixty officers and men of the warship, now at Bremerton for repairs, will be entertained here and at New Westminster this week-end with a program at New Westminster and a mass luncheon in Vancouver.



CLOUDBURSTS SEND RAGING FLOODS BOOMING OVER, KANSAS — Aerial view of Salina, Kansas, where cloudbursts sent the Smoky Hill River on a rampage, inundating residences with an estimated 1,000 families homeless. Overflows along major rivers were threatened and dozens of towns and communities menaced.

Wages Program Details Tomorrow

OTTAWA (CP)—Last-minute revisions of the government's order-in-council covering the forthcoming wages stabilization program necessitated a postponement until tomorrow morning of the announcement of details of the plan.

Labor Minister McLarty, canceling an appointment for 2.30 this afternoon at which he was to have outlined details and released the text of the order-in-council, fixed a press conference for 9 a.m., E.D.T. (5 a.m. P.S.T.) tomorrow.

He will make a nation-wide broadcast at 7.45 p.m., E.D.T. (3.45 p.m. P.S.T.) tomorrow.

Departmental officers had worked on the wages stabilization order all morning attempting to have it completed for this afternoon.

Mr. McLarty said that in view of the importance to the country of the entire order it had been decided best to delay until the order was exactly in the form in which it would stand.

"There is no general revision of the order as approved by cabinet; it is simply a matter of detail," the minister said.

Under Mr. McLarty's department will come the administrative organization which will deal with questions arising from the government order stabilizing wages and making mandatory payment of a cost-of-living bonus to those earning basic wages.

10,000,000 Casualties Claimed in Nazi-Russia War

Associated Press

Russia declared officially today that several hundred thousand Germans already have been killed in the 23-day-old drive on Moscow and that in four months the Nazis have lost as many men as the total casualties suffered by Kaiser Wilhelm's imperial armies in four years of the first Great War.

According to U.S. State Department figures, the Germans lost 1,773,700 killed and 4,216,058 wounded in the 1914-18 conflict—a total of 5,989,758.

DNB, the German news agency, quickly followed this report with the claiming of destruction of more than 20 Soviet divisions—approximately 3,900,000 to 4,680,000 men—in the campaign up to September 1.

The Russian figure of German losses and the German claim of Russian losses make total casualties of approximately 10,000,000.

Enemy Loses 2,500 South of Leningrad

The Soviet newspaper Pravda reported that a new German thrust south of Leningrad had been thrown back with at least 2,500 killed, wounded or captured and that Red army troops had retaken the villages of Velya and Kholmoy.

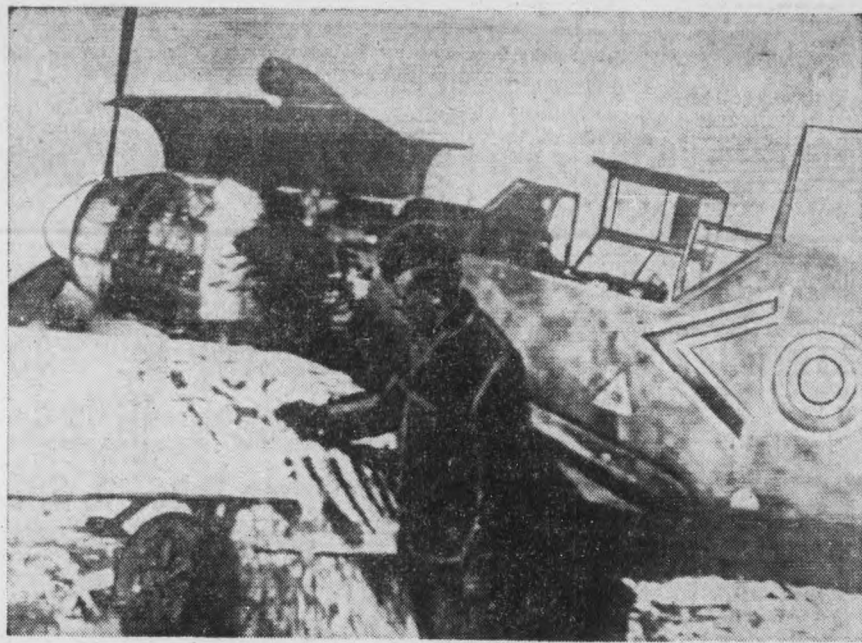
Russian front line dispatches said the Germans had also been repulsed in assaults west and south of Moscow, but acknowledged a new German penetration in the Donets River battle zone in the Ukraine.

German dispatches today admitted the Russians are "constantly throwing fresh troops," units of all kinds, against the Nazis to check the advance on Moscow. A DNB bulletin said German approaching Moscow were running into street barricades, but that those devices and mines were being used by the Russians in vain. The agency added the Russians were blasting buildings to clear the way for their gunners and as far as possible to destroy cover for advancing Germans.

Rumors spread through Berlin that advance German units already had reached Moscow's suburbs, but a military spokesman said "we cannot confirm that."

Axis Loses 50 In Odessa Blast

Meanwhile Rumanian military dispatches to Bucharest today disclosed that 50 Axis officers and men, including the Rumanian General Glogojanu, were killed by the explosion of a time bomb in captured Odessa. Other dispatches identified the general as



'GENERAL SNOW' COMES TO AID OF RUSS ON MOSCOW FRONT—First snow to be shown in any pictures from the Russo-German front, this radiophoto shows a German pilot wiping snow from the wing of his pursuit ship, "somewhere on the front." A bitter winter is expected to impede the German campaign.

the Rumanian commandant of Odessa. In the Rumanian dispatches two German naval officers were listed as victims; the others were believed to be Rumanians.

The dispatches said the bomb had been planted near a former secret police headquarters by the Russians before the port city was captured.

Moscow Will Hold, Lozovsky Says

The Germans "have not taken and will not take Moscow," said S. A. Lozovsky, official Soviet spokesman, who is at Kuibyshev.

Nevertheless, Josef Stalin delegated two of his key marshals to form new Red armies and Soviet dispatches acknowledged that Moscow's position was grave.

Lozovsky asserted the Germans were still more than 60 miles from the U.S.S.R. capital, countering official German claims Thursday that Nazi spearheads had advanced to within 35 miles of the city.

Russian dispatches said fierce hand-to-hand fighting was raging in the streets of three cities around the beleaguered capital—Kaluga, 90 miles southwest; Mozhaisk, 57 miles west; and Kalinin, 95 miles northwest.

Serving notice that Russia would never quit, Lozovsky told foreign newsmen that Marshal

Semen Budenny and Marshal Klementi Voroshilov, withdrawn from the battlefield, had already been organizing new armies from the vast reservoir of Soviet manpower.

(See story on page 3.)

Hitler's Boast Not Carried Out

"Hitler promised to end the war before winter, then throw enormous forces against England. He has failed in both," Lozovsky said.

"We fully realize the gravity of the situation... but the Soviet government and people will fight to the end."

Stalin and the Soviet defence council, he said, are remaining at their posts in Moscow, directing the fight for Russia's life.

The German high command, silent today on the land attack before Moscow, claimed the air force was continuing to rain explosive and incendiary bombs on the capital and press dispatches claimed dive bombers were being brought into play on an increasing scale.

The Nazi command's communique said offensive and pursuit operations are continuing in Russia and claimed the Spanish "blue division" fighting with the Axis armies had repelled a Soviet counter-attack in the north, in-

flicting heavy casualties and taking several hundred prisoners.

A Russian communique, reporting the German air force had renewed its mass aerial attack on Moscow Thursday night, causing some damage and casualties, said night fighters and anti-aircraft guns had shot down 24 Nazi planes.

In London consensus of observers was that the Germans were inching ahead toward Moscow under orders from Berlin to seek a quick decision.

Official reports in Kuibyshev said that on the Moscow front the Red army had smashed a Nazi spearhead which had penetrated defence lines toward the capital.

They reported, however, that German forces had broken through at one point toward Rostov on the Don as the fight for the industrial Donets basin reached a crisis. The Russians managed to form a new line and throw the Germans back on the defensive after inflicting heavy losses on them.

The army newspaper, Red Star, said the situation on the southern front was regarded officially as critical, with fierce fighting around Stalingrad and nearby Maikheva as the Nazis hurled their forces into a drive toward Rostov.

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Recruiting Committee Says It's Futile, Quits

The recruiting committee of Cowichan War Activities Committee, meeting at the Leader office, drew up the following communication and has sent a copy to Capt. S. H. Okeill, M.C., army recruiting, Victoria:

"In view of the fact that the law of Canada proclaims enlistment for overseas service is a matter of individual choice, we, the Cowichan Recruiting Committee feel that our position is one of futility. We have, therefore, decided to disband and at the same time reaffirm the opinion expressed in our resolution of May 27 as follows:

"After investigating the possibilities of recruiting additional men in this district, and the evident lack of response to the appeal for voluntary enlistment, it is the unanimous opinion of the Cowichan Recruiting Committee that the failure of voluntary en-

listment and the inefficiency of our war efforts can be remedied only by the mobilization of all manpower in Canada by conscription."

Present at the meeting were all members: Dr. W. B. Clayton, chairman; A. J. Castle, F. W. Hitchbox and Hugh Savage, and G. P. MacMillan, secretary.

LAVAL ANNIVERSARY

VICHY (AP)—Pierre Laval's newspaper, Le Moniteur, said today the Germans needed France as a starting point to influence Latin America. Recalling the meeting Laval arranged between Hitler and Marshal Petain a year ago today, the newspaper said it now is recognized "that in re-organized, unified Europe, France's geographic position facing west as a platform of departure toward those Latin countries of South America as a factor of powerful interest."

Knox Says

Far East Collision Seen as Inevitable

WASHINGTON (AP)—Navy Secretary Frank Knox said today that a "collision" in the Far East is virtually inevitable.

"The situation in the Far East is extremely strained," Knox told a group of naval munitions manufacturers.

"We are satisfied in our minds that the Japanese have no intention of giving up their plans for expansion. If they pursue that course a collision is inevitable."

This description of conditions involving the United States and Japan, coming from a cabinet member after weeks of Washington-Tokyo efforts to find a formula for settlement, was prompted by a discussion of ways by which munitions can be delivered from the U.S. to Russia.

CONFERENCE

Knox said he had "just hurried away from a conference"—he did not say with whom—at which British and Russian needs for war materials had been stressed as matters of great urgency.

He declared the manufacturers,

including the chiefs of naval yards, must miss no opportunity to speed up production.

"Keeping the Russian army fighting is one of the most vitally important things we have to do in this war," he said emphatically.

ROUTES FOR SUPPLIES

They are, Knox continued, "just three ways," of getting supplies to Russia.

These he named as across the north Atlantic to the Arctic port of Archangel, across the Pacific to the Far Eastern port of Vladivostok, and down through the south Atlantic and around Africa to Persia.

The Archangel route, he said, is the best of the three despite great handicaps imposed by its extreme northern location. The port can be kept open only by the use of icebreakers and this means, he said, that slow-moving supply ships make easy marks for German bombers, which can readily reach the harbor. Moreover Archangel offers but limited transport facilities.

QUESTIONABLE

The Far Eastern situation, Knox said, makes the continued usefulness of the Vladivostok route questionable and means that it is not to be preferred equally with Archangel.

The third route, through Persia, Knox noted, involves a sea voyage of 12,000 miles. He said that even when supplies were delivered there great difficulty would be encountered in moving them inland and it would be necessary to build rail facilities through the country.

Representatives of several naval establishments and 14 commercial companies were in Knox's office as he made his statement on conditions in the Orient. He spoke in low tones, but intensely, and stressed to his hearers the necessity for performing what he has called a "miracle" in munitions output.

The occasion for the gathering was the presentation of navy awards for excellence in manufacturing production.

Wanted to Make Reuters Like A.P.

LONDON (CP)—Sir Roderick Jones, former chairman of Reuters News Agency, said today he had worked for years to give the agency the "sound understructure of a great news agency, ownership by the press of its country," as exemplified by the Associated Press of America.

Sir Roderick, in a letter to The Times, was replying to critics of a plan which would admit London newspapers into joint ownership, with provincial papers, of the agency.

Referring to the assertion of Brendan Bracken, Minister of Information, in the House of Commons Tuesday that Reuters was a commercial business which had lost ground in the last 10 or 12 years "in a most remarkable way" as compared with the success of the Co-operative Associated Press, Sir Roderick wrote: "If that were true it would be a surprise."

"All other foreign agencies with whom Reuters had to do constant battle have either been financially munitioned by their governments (e.g. Berlin, Paris, Rome), or, as in the case of the Associated Press, have had money poured copiously into them by a press many times more numerous than that of the British Isles."

In the year 1925, he continued, "as the principal proprietor and sole controller of Reuters I offered this ownership to newspapers. I felt very strongly that the future of so important a national and international organization should not be dependent on the life of one man. . . . A free market in shares would have exposed Reuters to the menace of undesirable influence and perhaps control."

So the Newspapers Proprietors' Association of London was given the opportunity of purchase, Sir

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Roderick said, but turned it down. Then he transferred ownership to the Press Association, representing the provincial papers, but still hoped the London papers would one day be with the provincials in Reuters.

"When I resigned last February," Sir Roderick said, "NPA decided that day had come, and they acted at once. Their action and the wise response of Press Association were entirely public spirited and the members of Parliament who . . . expressed misgivings did so without having been placed in possession of all the facts."

Mr. Bracken supported the plan for newspaper ownership as against private ownership or, as some members of the House proposed, a government trusteeship. "The very sound understructure of a great news agency, ownership by the press of its country, the fruit of which in the shape of the Associated Press of America is so much admired by Mr. Bracken, has been my dream and my labor for 20 years," Sir Roderick said.

Mr. Bracken met with the NPA yesterday to discuss criticism of Press Association's sale to NPA of 50 per cent of Reuters' stock, and the News Chronicle reported today "there appears to be no likelihood of the operations being canceled."

Service Vote Less Than Half

Less than half of the soldiers, sailors and airmen on active service outside B.C. marked ballots in the provincial election.

Complete active service vote returns today showed that of 12,542 eligible to vote only 4,748 voted.

The counting was done from four main centres.

In London the overseas vote went 890 for Liberals, 822 for Conservatives, 889 for C.C.F. and 91 others.

In Regina Liberals got 444, Conservatives 374, C.C.F. 314 and others 40.

In Halifax the vote was Liberals 80, Conservatives 38, C.C.F. 24 and others 6.

The Toronto count was Liberals 277, Conservatives 236, C.C.F. 209, others 14.

Combined totals were Liberals 1,691, Conservatives 1,470, C.C.F. 1,436 and others 151.

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Vancouver Province

NO TIME FOR LOG-ROLLING

In one way or another the King's government has to go on. No single one of the three parties can form a government. There will have to be combinations and compromises, but it is imperative that these combinations and compromises should be free from political log rolling and equally free from an attempt to isolate any one of the three political forces that will be represented in the new Legislature.

From the Conservative and Liberal parties will come many honest voices demanding that these two parties now combine to form, or try to form, a government and to establish a permanent front against the C.C.F. These voices should not be heeded. They are destructive and disruptive. They are voices of class political warfare and political expediency.

We should build for something better than that. We should build for a new order of things in the government of British Columbia and we should not commence the building of such a flimsy foundation as an expedient. We should build on a solid principle of government, namely, government of the province for the people and not for the politicians.

The people of British Columbia don't want another provincial election for a long time to come and they don't want any politics from any politician that would bring on another election.

Do you remember the placards: "Only Pattullo Can Win"? Yes, only like that.

As to Mr. Pattullo's proposed trip to Ottawa, the event of Tuesday deposed that Mr. Pattullo went down to Ottawa once too often.

Vancouver Sun

Mr. Pattullo's amazing decision to go to Ottawa and sign an important fiscal agreement with the federal government despite the fact that he has been repudiated at the polls indicated that he had no intention of resigning now.

Under the British parliamentary system a government defeated at the polls does not sign agreements, make appointments

'Senator Pattullo' Would End Stalemate

VANCOUVER—Easy way out of British Columbia's political stalemate is to elevate Premier Pattullo to the Senate to fill one of the B.C. Senate vacancies, according to an article in the Vancouver Sun.

It had been widely expected that Hon. John Hart would go to the Senate during the next year or two, but the strongest kind of pressure will be exerted in the Liberal party to keep him in provincial politics in the belief that he will be premier during the next few months because he may prove to be the only man who can hope to form a stable Liberal-Conservative government.

"Senator Pattullo may be the title we shall be hearing within a matter of weeks," says James Dyer, political correspondent.

LONDON OR OTTAWA?

"If, as some are suggesting,

R.A.F. Pounds Brest, Havre

LONDON (CP)—Powerful R.A.F. forces attacked ports and naval bases in northwestern Germany despite bad weather Thursday night and also raided the occupied French ports of Brest, Cherbourg and Le Havre, an Air Ministry communique said today.

Two British planes are missing, the Air Ministry said. A single enemy plane dropped a small number of bombs in north Scotland Thursday night, causing very slight damage and no casualties, the communique said.

Dies in Zeballos

ZEBALLOS (CP)—Dr. Bernard Bokhaut, Vancouver dentist, died here suddenly Thursday night in his hotel room.

He had complained Thursday morning of not feeling well and Dr. Kenneth Norris attended him most of the day.

Dr. Bokhaut arrived here October 16 to fill dental appointments.

DIES AT YOUNG

NANAIMO (CP)—Mrs. Hilda Kunnila Manus, 54, died Wednesday night at her home at Young, B.C., where she had lived for the past 14 years. Besides her widower she leaves one daughter, Irene, at home, and a sister, Mrs. Victor Nurmi, Lady-smith.

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or take any decisive action. The Pattullo government in its position today and obviously has no right to sign any agreement at Ottawa as forecast by Mr. Pattullo.

On second thoughts the agreement probably will not be signed but merely laid down tentatively for the consideration of the Legislature. But this does not solve the main problem: And the main problem goes far beyond any agreement. It is simply the question of controlling a majority in the Legislature and giving British Columbia stable government.

If Mr. Pattullo is determined to hang on and meet the House, he faces an open break in his cabinet. This was made certain when Hon. George Pearson, Minister of Labor, stated that the government could not carry on—a statement which is interpreted here as Mr. Pearson's desire for a Liberal-Conservative coalition.

The present situation, apparently so chaotic, is really very simple of explanation—Mr. Pattullo does not admit yet that he was defeated Tuesday and his government definitely rejected. He is now operating on the mistaken assumption that the government still has the confidence of the people when a majority of the people have voted against it.

Mr. Pattullo may see the folly of this assumption during the next few days and take the only sensible course open to him, which is to invite the Conservatives to join him and if they refuse, to resign. But he may not.

It is understood here, however, that the Liberal party will move to end this intolerable position, and by the time Mr. Pattullo gets home from Ottawa he will find a concerted demand among his followers for some decisive action.

But for the present and possibly until January or February British Columbia must get along with a ghost government existing against the expressed will of the people.

The C.C.F. Party has publicly urged a Liberal-Conservative coalition. The Conservative Party will not permit the present government to rule. There

Hon. John Hart will become Premier in his place to placate the Conservatives and permit a coalition with them, there is a senatorial vacancy in British Columbia, caused by the death of Senator Taylor of New Westminster.

"Mr. Hart himself has had some yearning toward it, but a premiership might have greater charm for him.

"There is also the agent-generalship at London—not quite so shiny a plum in wartime, but nevertheless having some call. Mr. Pattullo has been twitted enough in the Legislature by Tories and C.C.F. members for allegedly 'keeping the agent-generalship open for defeated Liberal minister'; now he might prove them right.

"Mr. Pattullo, however, has ample private means if he decides to retire."

ATTACK ADMITTED

BERLIN (AP)—Hamburg and Kiel were bombed Thursday night by British planes, a German communique said today.

An earlier announcement said some civilians had been killed and wounded. Only slight damage to buildings was acknowledged.

One bomber was said to have been shot down.

The Germans claimed bombers on armed reconnaissance attacked the port of Dundee, Scotland, Thursday night, causing several large fires.

Baby Had Close Call

CHEMUNUS — Two-year-old Charlie Chang, second son of Sam Yee, Chemunus general merchant, suffered only a slightly grazed cheek and temple when the truck which he started down the government wharf yesterday afternoon crashed through the railing and landed in about four feet of water, on its side.

Edward Chang, uncle of the boy, rushed from the store, jumped after the truck, put his arm through the broken glass of the door and held the child's head above water until he was able to break enough glass to pull him through.

In rescuing his nephew, Chang suffered a bruised knee and cut hand.

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is excellent reason to believe that the Conservative Party will not coalesce with Mr. Pattullo, even if he asks it. The most obvious prospect ahead of British Columbia today is a coalition under Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, who could command the support of the Liberal party and, this correspondent had good reason to believe, of the Conservative Party.

For the moment government in British Columbia is at a deadlock, which only Mr. Pattullo can break. It cannot remain long in this state since it is recognized that the first duty of the Premier is to make sure who is going to govern British Columbia.

News-Herald

Another election at this time of emergency would be a bad thing for the province. It would mean a costly, frivolous diversion of our attention from the serious problems which face us. And, if another election were held, there is no indication at all that it would result in any major change from the present impasse—that it would give a mandate to any of the three parties.

Mr. Harold Winch, the leader of the C.C.F. Party, has suggested the obvious course out of our present difficulties. He says, in effect—let the two orthodox parties form a coalition administration, leaving the C.C.F. to act as its parliamentary opposition. "The C.C.F. has won a place in our political affairs. Today that place is obviously the post of opposition—a live, constructive, challenging opposition, contributing to good government. Let the Liberal and Conservative parties bury their political quarrels and, in the interest of public welfare, stand together, with the ablest men from each party forming the government."

Hon. John Hart would be the logical choice to succeed Mr. Pattullo as Premier.

There is good cabinet material in the Conservative ranks. For example—Mr. Maitland's qualities fit him for the position of Attorney-General; Herbert Anscomb would make an excellent Minister of Finance; Dr. Green of Cranbrook might well fill the post of Provincial Secretary, now left vacant by the defeat of Dr. Weir.

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Madame Watts announces the arrival of a shipment of winter coats in the half sizes. "Popular Prices." E 4941.

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Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, October 28, 2.45 p.m. Speaker, Alfred H. Wharton. Subject, "India's Place in the Sun." Soloist, Mrs. J. A. Rulnick, accompanist, Miss Doreen Briggs; 1941 membership tickets must be shown.

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Missing Child Found in Garage

VANCOUVER (CP)—Eric Catchpole, a bewildered but otherwise unharmed 2½-year-old boy, was back with his mother and father today after being missing for nearly 36 hours while one of the largest search parties in the city's history groped through heavy fog in search of him.

The little fellow was found by a neighbor, Gordon Marshall, in an automobile in a garage a few doors from the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Catchpole from which he had disappeared Wednesday noon.

Marshall heard a police broadcast appealing for automobile owners in the district to look into their garages as it was known Eric liked to play around parked cars and it was thought he might have fallen asleep in one.

"I came down the lane and noticed a car with 1938 license plates sitting in a garage," Marshall said. "There was a load of wood dumped in front of the open doors."

"I climbed over the wood into the garage and found the little fellow lying awake on the front seat of the car. All he said was 'Mummy.'"

DRINKS MILK

"I took him home with me and when he saw my wife handing our baby a bottle of milk he reached out his hands," he said. "We gave him a glass of warm milk and called police, who came and returned him to his parents."

Marshall said he believed the boy must have been in the unused automobile all the time since his disappearance.

"The doors of the car were shut and he was as warm as toast when I found him," he said. "He apparently closed the door when he got in and couldn't get it open again."

A physician said the little boy apparently had had nothing to eat since before his disappearance, but that he appeared to have suffered no ill effects.

Police, soldiers, school cadets and civilians had been combing the district in search of the child since late yesterday, when his parents reported him missing.

Hertzog Urges National Socialism

JOHANNESBURG (CP)—Gen. J. B. M. Hertzog, former Prime Minister of South Africa and leader of the Afrikaner Party Congress, now advocates national socialism for the South African Union.

He told the congress that national socialism is not exclusively the product of any particular country or people.

The declaration is expected to split the Afrikaner party. It indicates Gen. Hertzog has broken with his moderate friend and adviser, N. C. Havenga, and has moved towards Oswald Pirow, an advocate of national socialism, and Dr. Van Rensburg, leader of the pro-Nazi Ossewabrandwag movement.

Gen. Hertzog, 75, was ousted as Prime Minister September 5, 1939, when he insisted on maintenance of relations with all belligerents.

Since then he several times has urged peace with Germany and Italy, and finally resigned from Parliament last December after such a motion was defeated and Prime Minister Smuts had criticized his stand.

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Parade to Abbey

LONDON (CP)—The Canadian 3rd Division Army Service Corps will march to Westminster Abbey Sunday morning to attend the first church parade held within its walls for troops other than the Queen's Westminster Rifles, for whom the Abbey serves as a chapel.

Led by the massed bands of the division, the corps will march from Hyde Park down Constitution Hill and past Buckingham Palace.

Exchange Fliers

LONDON (CP)—A limited number of R.A.F. officers with special bomber and fighter experience have been assigned to duty with the United States army air corps, the Air Ministry states.

They will facilitate "the exchange of knowledge between the two air forces in the most direct form possible," U.S. observers now being with the R.A.F.

Sir L. Shedden Dead

WEST KILBRIDE, Lanarkshire, Scotland (CP)—Sir Lewis Shedden, 71, secretary of the Glasgow Unionist (Conservative Party) Association since he was 17, died Thursday.

Dr. Frankish Dies

TORONTO (CP)—Dr. Edgar Frankish, medico-legal expert for the Ontario government, died in hospital here Thursday night.

Budenny, Voroshilov Speed Task

Russia Forms New Armies

By HENRY CASSIDY
KUIBYSHEV, Russia (AP)—Formation of new Russian armies was charged today (Thursday) to Marshals Semeon Budenny and Klementi Voroshilov, while Gen. Gregory K. Zhukov and Marshal Semeon Timoshenko commanded the eastern and southern Soviet armies.

These developments came as it was announced formally part of the Soviet government had been established at Kuibyshev.

Timoshenko in his new command takes the place of Marshal Budenny, who had been in charge of the southern wing of the Red army since the beginning of the war with Germany June 22.

Timoshenko had been in charge of the forces on the central front. Gen. Zhukov was named last Sunday to take charge there, as the pressure on Moscow increased, but until today there had been no report as to what had become of Timoshenko.

Voroshilov, vice-premier, had been entrusted with defence of Leningrad as commander in the northwest. He was a member of the Soviet delegation which conferred with British and American delegations in Moscow on the aid-to-Russia program. There was no immediate indication of who has succeeded Voroshilov in the north.

GOVERNMENT SHIFT

High command changes and establishment of part of the Soviet government here were announced by S. A. Lozovsky, vice-commissioner of foreign affairs, in his first press conference in Kuibyshev.

Close contact is being maintained between the government branches remaining in Moscow and those in Kuibyshev, he said, by daily telephone conversations.

Lozovsky at the same time said that according to the latest military advice the Germans were more than 60 miles from Moscow. (The Germans on the contrary claimed Thursday to have driven to within about 35 miles of the city.)

The Nazis were being pushed

back from some points at the approaches to Leningrad, he said, while on the southern wing the important Don River port of Rostov was being defended in a violent battle near Taganrog, 30 miles to the west.

Several hundred thousand Germans already have been killed in the drive toward Moscow, Lozovsky asserted, adding: "But they have not taken and will not take Moscow."

He said fierce Russian counterattacks were still in progress in the Mzhaisk region, west of Moscow, while street fighting was going on in Kallinin, 95 miles northwest of the capital, and in Kaluga, 90 miles southwest.

Lozovsky said Kuibyshev was not the emergency capital of the Soviet Union, but was the residence of some members of the government while others remained in Moscow.

He reported establishment of a branch of the government here meant "development of industry on an enormous scale, especially war industry," and a gathering of the defence forces day and night to fight the Germans, despite their successes.

50 Frenchmen Shot By Nazis, 100 Reprieved

VICHY (AP)—Fifth French hostages died before the firing squad wall today in a 50-lives-for-one effort following the assassination of a German officer at Bordeaux—the second such measure of retaliation within three days.

At the same time 50 additional hostages at Bordeaux, and 50 still alive at Nantes of 100 selected for execution in reprisal for the killing of the German commander there, won brief reprieves while the Germans gave additional time for the capture or to force surrender of the actual assassins.

The news today from Bordeaux meant a total of 100 hostages already had been put to death, evenly divided, for the assassinations of the Nantes and Bordeaux officers. Fifty were executed in the Nantes case Wednesday.

The German commander at Nantes, Lt.-Col. Paul Friedrich Hotz was waylaid and shot last Monday, and on the following day a high-ranking officer named Reimers, councillor of the German military administration at the occupied port of Bordeaux, met a similar fate.

If the full measure of threatened reprisal is carried out it will make a ratio of 100 lives for one.

The Bordeaux executions brought to 184 the total of French hostages killed for the assassination of five Germans during the occupation.

The reprieves were granted by German authorities at personal requests of Chief of State Petain and Vice-Premier Darlan.

"Resulting from appeals by Petain and Darlan as well as pressing demarches made to German authorities," a communique said, "these latter willingly consented to a delay of grace for complementary groups of hostages whose executions were designated following the two assassinations at Nantes and Bordeaux."

"Consequently, the deadline which expired for Nantes October 23 and that which was to have expired for Bordeaux October 26 at midnight, conforming to the order of the commanding (German) military general in France, have been prolonged respectively until October 27 and October 29 at midnight."

"In accordance with this prolongation of the delays, the German authorities wished to increase the chances of finding the real guilty persons and thus spare French lives."

"The French people can only

be grateful for this marked willingness by not making more sorrowful a situation which is already tragic.

"This measure was made possible thanks to the calm and dignity which have been shown during the last few days by the entire population and of the two tried cities."

ASK GREATER EFFORTS

"The French government is sure that each one will redouble his efforts to aid the authorities in the difficult task of arresting the criminals and transforming the provisional delays into a definite act of remission."

"It is hoped that each Frenchman will see that the lives of 100 of his compatriots are in the balance. His duty is clearly outlined."

The Germans thus extended the deadline for the second batch of 50 in both Nantes and Bordeaux.

As the original deadline for Nantes' second batch of hostages passed last midnight, Gen. Otto von Stuepnagel, commander of the German occupation forces, announced tersely: "The murderers of Nantes have not been delivered into our hands."

Army Casualties

OTTAWA (CP)—The Canadian (Active) Army, in its 68th casualty list of the war, announced seven of its officers have died overseas.

The new list raises total dead and missing since war began to 470 and includes the following names:

Died—Capt. D. R. McNabb, Lethbridge, Canadian Dental Corps; Major R. M. Perkins, Mount Royal, Que., Royal Canadian Army Pay Corps; Pte. William Johnson, Surrey, England; L.-Col. Henry McDonough, Liverpool, both Central Ontario Regiment; Acting Sgt. W. A. Dobson, Pleasant Valley, Sask., Canadian Armored Corps; Pte. L. G. Evans, Edmonton, Royal Canadian Army Service Corps; Pte. G. B. Tomlinson, Vancouver, Canadian Forestry Corps; previously reported missing, now officially reported dead at sea, enemy action—Cpl. Duncan Bell, Verdun, Quebec, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps; dangerously ill—Acting L.-Col. J. A. MacDonald, Ottawa, Royal Canadian Army Service Corps; seriously ill—Gnr. C. E. Waldeck, Tilsonburg, Ont., Royal Canadian Artillery; Pte. C. E. McGrath, Preston, Ont., Western Ontario Regiment; Sgt. Wm. Beattie, Northumberland County, N.B., New Brunswick Regiment; Pte. G. H. Adams, Macdowell, Sask., Canadian Forestry Corps; previously reported missing, now officially reported safe—Spr. F. P. Hutchinson, Dartmouth, N.S., Royal Canadian Engineers.

PRISONER OF WAR

LONDON (CP)—Second Lieut. J. C. Gardner of Regina, serving with the Royal Armored Corps, has been taken prisoner, the War Office announces. The next of kin is listed as N. T. Gardner of Regina.

Fewer Radios

OTTAWA (CP)—Further reduction in production of radios, refrigerators, washing machines, stoves and vacuum cleaners was forecast in a report issued Thursday by H. Carol Goldenberg, associate director-general for the economic and statistics branch, Munitions and Supply Department.

The report mentioned the curtailment of production of such articles to 75 per cent of 1940 output.

People in the News

FINED FOR POACHING

LORD TEYNHAM was fined the equivalent of \$4.50 today in Campbelltown, Scotland, and ordered to pay \$5 costs for poaching on the estate of the Duke of Argyll. He was said to have shot five grouse.

'WE'RE ALL READY'

REAR ADMIRAL H. M. BEMIS, commandant of the 16th Naval District in the Philippine Islands, arrived in San Francisco on the liner President Coolidge. "We in the Philippines are just waiting for the whistle to blow," he said. "We're all ready."

CANADIAN HONORED

ACTING WING CMDR. THOMAS CAMERON WEIR, 29, of Winnipeg, commander of the No. 61 Squadron of the R.A.F., has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross.

CANADA REPRESENTATIVES

The Canadian government will be represented at the international labor conference, opening in New York next Monday, by LABOR MINISTER MCLARTY and HON. LEIGHTON MCCARTHY, Canadian minister at Washington.

WANTS WAR DECLARATION

Criticizing President Roosevelt for "not having gone hard and fast enough" to meet the aggressions of Hitler, WILLIAM C. BULLITT, former U.S. ambassador to France, in Philadelphia, called for an immediate declaration of war on Germany.

ACTOR TO SEA

The U.S. navy department has announced DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS, the actor, who holds the rank of lieutenant, junior grade, in the naval reserve, has been ordered to active duty "on board a vessel of the United States fleet." No other information was made public.

ACTRESS TO WED

SCREEN ACTRESS ROSALIND RUSSELL announced in Hollywood she and actor's agent FRED BRISSON plan to marry Saturday.

PRISONER OF WAR

Missing for nearly two years, HUGH BINNEY, nephew of Mrs. Katherine Goldsmith of Beaton, B.C., is in a concentration camp in occupied France near Paris, word received by Mrs. Goldsmith says.

A ship's carpenter, Binney sailed from Liverpool for South America January 1, 1940, and had been unheard of until relatives received a letter from him a few weeks ago.

'Trust Churchill,' Says MacDonald

MONTREAL (CP)—Judgment of Prime Minister Churchill and his advisers can be relied on to choose the right time to launch an invasion, Rt. Hon. Malcolm MacDonald told members of the Women's Canadian Club here.

"Many people are agitating for an immediate invasion of Europe," he said. "Well, we may be sure that all these possibilities have occurred to the trained, shrewd and eager military minds of the general staff and the war cabinet in Downing Street."

"Those men have the full information on the situation on which alone a sound judgment and a right decision can be based. At the head of the government is a man whose temperament, prejudice and military philosophy are all in favor of the offensive in war."

"We can trust him and his advisers."



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AIR CASUALTIES

OTTAWA (CP)—The R.C.A.F.'s latest casualty list brings total dead and missing since war began to 845 and includes the following names:

OVERSEAS

Killed on active service—Sgt. George McCluskey, Cannington, Ont.; Sgt. J. A. R. Turner, Westboro, Ont.; Sgt. T. S. Royan, Calgary. Previously missing, now presumed dead—P.O. R. E. Campbell, Winnipeg; Sgt. G. L. Cowling, London, Ont. Missing after air operations—Sgt. I. A. M. Barber, Cornwall, Ont.; Sgt. W. P. Thom, Glasgow, Scotland. Dangerously injured on active service—Sgt. G. O. Dufort, Montreal. Seriously injured on active service—Sgt. W. E. Martin, Bury, Quebec.

B.C. FLIER KILLED

LONDON (CP)—F.O. David A. Romans, D.F.C., 21-year-old Nova Scotian who had 15 planes shot from under him, is listed missing in the 87th casualty list of the R.A.F. Romans, and L.A.C. D. T. Clark, Vancouver, who was reported killed in action, were the only Canadians included in the list, which contained 246 names. Clark's wife lives in Glasgow. He was born in Vancouver.

Romans was awarded the D.F.C. for heroism during bombardment of a Nazi airfield. His plane was struck by enemy fire and the pilot was gravely wounded. Romans, who was navigator and bomb almer, attempted to remove the pilot from the cockpit but failing to do so, he perched on the pilot's knees and brought the machine to a safe landing.

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PRISONER OF WAR

CALGARY (CP)—Sergeant Observer Lloyd E. Peterson, 28, formerly of Milo and Calgary, is a prisoner of war, according to



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word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Peterson, Seattle. Sergeant Peterson was previously reported missing as a result of air operations September 15.

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What Mr. Winch Says

THREE STATEMENTS ISSUED BY MR. Harold Winch, leader of the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation, since the provincial election last Tuesday command respect and should be carefully considered by the Premier and Conservative chief R. L. Maitland. One is that Mr. Winch considers "it's up to Mr. Pattullo and Mr. Maitland to decide whether a coalition government should be formed; but it seems the logical thing to do." The second is that "since it is impossible for the Liberals to form a majority government with their own strength, it would be only common courtesy to the voters for Mr. Pattullo to decide the future of the government before leaving for Ottawa." The third statement from Mr. Winch was issued late yesterday; this declared Mr. Maitland's suggestion for a union government composed of all three parties. Here is part of the C.C.F. leader's dignified reply to the proposal:

"At the outset I wish to state that in the future, as in the past, the C.C.F. will give full co-operation on all measures and policies which contribute to an efficient prosecution of the war, but it would, however, in our judgment not be in the best interests of the province or of the war effort for the C.C.F. to go into partnership with Liberal and Conservative parties in a union government, in view of our fundamentally different policies."

In view of the fact that the C.C.F. party—by reason of its representation of 14 seats in the new Legislature, two more than the Conservatives—must be considered the official opposition, Mr. Winch's three statements are entitled to practical thought. His reference to the Premier's visit to Ottawa is especially important, because, it will be recalled, before the election Mr. Pattullo asked for a greater majority than that he enjoyed in the last Parliament so that the government at the national capital might be suitably impressed. But that majority no longer exists.

Mr. Hart's Triumph

OUT OF THE ELECTIONS OF LAST Tuesday has emerged one particularly outstanding personal triumph which we venture to suggest has evoked nothing but unstinted approval from the supporters of all parties in British Columbia—the fifth endorsement of Hon. John Hart in his capacity of Minister of Finance since he first entered the Legislature in 1916 as a Liberal member for this city. When he resumes his seat in the next Parliament he will take with him the enviable and unsurpassed record of more than 15 years as the custodian of British Columbia's treasury. Not only did he head the poll with a majority of nearly 1,400 over the nearest oppositionist candidate in a 10-cornered fight; the high tone and practical, businesslike manner in which he conducted his personal campaign from its beginning to its end contributed much to the success of the other candidates who fought the battle with him.

It is fitting that this special reference should be made to Mr. Hart as he and those of his ministerial colleagues who survived this week's ordeal of the polling booths survey the unparalleled political complexities with which the province at the moment is confronted. It is fitting because his reelection by such an impressive personal endorsement speaks volumes for the high esteem in which he is held by the public at large; for it can be said without hesitation that many crosses marked against his name on the ballot paper were not the exclusive emblems of hide-bound partisans. Nor need this estimate of the minister's worth in the exacting task which he has discharged throughout the years be considered in the least surprising. His administration of British Columbia's finances has placed him in the forefront of Canada's treasurers. The manner in which he restored the province's credit from the precarious condition into which it had deteriorated eight years ago is reflected by the status of British Columbia's securities in the money markets of this continent. Hard-bitten critics in eastern Canada and in the United States—the men who are no more interested in politics, as such, than they are in Einstein's theory of relativity—have intimated their profound satisfaction with the province's policy of retiring its debt and, by the opposite token, its insistence in avoiding a spending spree in times when revenues are establishing new records.

Apart from the fact that Mr. Hart has won the reputation for saying "no" when "no" was the correct and prudent answer to frequent importunities from all sources, his general attitude as a minister of the Crown toward the public interest and the public weal, nonetheless toward his fellow citizens, are attributes the voters of this community obviously had in mind when they paid him the fine tribute reflected in the size of his vote last Tuesday. As political events unfold between now and the next meeting of the Legislature, therefore, these are factors of which the minister's constituents in the capital city of the province, as well as the public generally, will not lose sight.

Reorganizing Armies

ONE OF THE MOST SIGNIFICANT ANNOUNCEMENTS to come from Russia in recent days is that which informs the world—and especially the skeptics—that Premier Stalin has subjected the personnel of the high command to important changes and transfers of direction. Evidently these have been undertaken not only with a due regard for the requirements of the moment but also in anticipation of the essentials for the future conduct of what still may be a long-drawn-out campaign.

Marshal Timoshenko goes from the central command to the south; there he succeeds Marshal Budyenny, one of the most popular officers in the Soviet army. Marshal Voroshilov, who has commanded the forces in the Leningrad area, in company with Budyenny, is assigned to raise new Russian armies for the battles of next spring. Supplanting Timoshenko in the vital Moscow sector is General Zhukov—an important personage in the Soviet military hierarchy, although practically unknown outside his own country. It is said that in the short time he has been in virtual command of the forces defending the capital he has improved on tactics which had not prevented the Nazi Wehrmacht from approaching perilously near to Adolf Hitler's much-coveted prize.

Change in military commands when a great battle, or a campaign in its entirety, reaches a critical stage is nothing new. The translation of Sir Archibald Wavell from his command as chief of the British and Imperial army of the Nile caused some consternation. It suited the Churchill government to leave explanations for its action to those who did not understand the motive behind it. Many Britons were confused by it; some influential newspapers in the United States openly interpreted his transfer to the supreme command in India as a demotion. But it is safe to say that Hitler and his general staff were not in the least fooled by this and other British moves in the Near and Middle East. After the problem of Syria and Iran had been resolved the role destined for Wavell became crystal clear. Here was a case of reorganization, like that now undertaken by Premier Stalin—to meet the circumstances of the moment and requirements later on.

It may thus be assumed that the British and Russian allies already have played their cards in anticipation of a possible showdown between them and the German Wehrmacht in the southern part of the eastern front—with the Caucasus area holding the promise of joint action in the field. In the meantime, the original British army of the Nile has accumulated sufficient strength to permit of its division into two parts, one to deal with the Libyan danger, and the other to meet eventualities which at any time may involve Turkey. Mr. Eden's statement to the House of Commons yesterday was a pointed reference to possible new developments; but he naturally was not telling the enemy what he had in mind.

Never, Never, Never!

WHY MUST HITLER FAIL IN THE long run? The dispatch recently printed in the Swedish newspaper Dagens Nyheter gives the clue. According to this paper, the "after-the-war" plan for Norway has been agreed upon between Quisling, Norway's betrayer, and the satrap Terboven, in active charge there for the Nazis. The Germans would remain in the important towns as a garrison and a "guarantee of the security of the country." Norwegians would be allowed to govern the rest of their country provided that the Quisling faction became "so deeply anchored in the rest of the country that its permanent leadership is considered assured." When that happens, the "New Order" in Europe is assured. And when will that be? Never, never, never!

Notes

Thrift, as a rule, is the practice of pinching pennies so somebody else in the family can squander dollars.

Another advantage of living out in the wide open spaces is that you don't suffer by proxy when the neighbors have fish.

A scientist says there are 20,000 insect pests that haven't reached America. He never played under a corner arc light after supper.

MR. HOWE'S BAD MISTAKE

From Ottawa Citizen

Until the complete report of the Royal Commission which investigated the Arvida affair is studied it is impossible to pass final judgment, but it does seem that the government at Ottawa was badly misled over the unfortunate events in the aluminum plant last July. The feeling that Mr. Howe spoke without knowing the facts seems to have been well founded.

Mr. Howe said that the stoppage at Arvida was a case of "suspected enemy sabotage." The Royal Commission's report says there "was no trace of latent or developed sabotage in the sense of hostile or subversive influence at any time." Mr. Howe said, "This is no labor dispute, it came out of a blue sky." The Royal Commission's report says the strike was one "relating to labor conditions and pay which might possibly have been avoided had there been better provision against such an emergency." It also indicates that the seriousness of the strike, though illegal, was exaggerated.

The commission's report suggests that one of the company's officers gave Ottawa a misleading report based on "suspicious" later found to be "unfounded."

Behind the whole unfortunate affair, however, is the tale of a "company town," of armed company guards, of a posse of 120 "special constables." The management seemed to have had little understanding of its men or their grievances.

Bruce Hutchison

SURPRISE! SURPRISE!

A GREAT MANY people were wiser the morning after the election than the day before, but some were not. Some assured me that they were not in the least surprised and had expected precisely this result from the beginning. These were generally the same men who, a few days before, were certain the government was going to be re-elected. It is amazing, on the day afterwards, how many people had secretly expected what would happen but had kept it to themselves, not wishing to discourage anyone.

I am not one of these. I had no divine intimations before the poll and, as usual, was quite wrong about it. I thought the government would squeeze by; not that I had any illusions about its popularity, but because I did not think the people were impressed with the alternatives. They weren't for that matter, but in an election nowadays one votes against some party, not for some other party. And the government being very aged (it was born, you know, in 1916) it was the obvious thing to vote against.

These great turnovers, these staggering events, usually don't mean much really. The government had been elected by a minority before. The shift of a few votes was enough to upset it in many ridings. Thus you can say it never won by any decisive vote before and is not beaten by any decisive vote now. The people's minds obviously are confused.

Is that any wonder? Why do we expect an election held at a time like this, with all society in the melting pot, with all our civilization being melted down and cast into some new and unknown shape—why do we expect that an election here now should return a clear-cut verdict? It is the best sign that our democratic system is working, that a popular vote does reflect the popular will when our provincial vote is as confused as the people's minds, as shapeless as our melting society, as uncertain as our future.

COSMIC CONCLUSIONS

IT IS NOT SAFE, therefore, to draw too many cosmic conclusions from such a ballot. Nothing very important or decisive has happened. This is not the Revolution or the End of Everything. At a time like this the party lines of British Columbia are of no great moment. The battle line in front of Moscow will have more to do with our future than any line drawn in our legislature. In fact, the whole election is not a matter to excite one unduly.

FIRE HORSES

OUR OLD HABITS die hard, however. When an election occurs we sniff it like an old war horse; we rush out like an old fire horse. Even though the election campaign was boring and no one seemed to bother much about it, at the last minute, when they began to count the ballots, everyone grew excited. I dare say hardly a radio in British Columbia was tuned in on the war news Tuesday night. They were all tuned in on the election returns.

And not because of any great question of principle involved. That was the last thing we thought about. The thing that interested everyone was the human contest, the struggle between men, the personal combat. We like a fight. It doesn't matter so much what the fight is about so long as the fight goes on. With us in the democracies the election is a recognized method of providing a good harmless clash of human personality and we enjoy it. The election is the universal sporting event in which all can participate no matter how old or feeble.

While the election is confused, while it is settled largely by accident of personality, the great age of the government and a general feeling of dissatisfaction, still there were some straws in the wind. Surely it is not without significance that the party which condemned the Rowell-Sirois Report most emphatically lost more than any other party. The C.C.F., which endorsed the report, gained more than any other party. The Conservatives, also sympathetic to it, gained also.

I do not believe any verdict was given on the report or could be given. The government was the only group which expected such a verdict, and asked for it, and tried to make that the issue of the election. If it was an issue, then the report was endorsed. Actually it was not an issue at all, and the people do not yet understand the problems involved. It is not surprising after all the misinformation they have received. Now we can settle down and think the thing out for a few years.

The most significant fact in the poll, of course, is the gain of the C.C.F. But this should surprise no one since the C.C.F. represents an idea—the idea of collective action through the state—which is in the ascendancy all over the world, especially during the war. The C.C.F. did not win and the people are not ready for all its ideas by any means, but there is a certain irony about this because the political parties which are opposed to the C.C.F. idea are busy adopting it in many different forms and through many different mechanisms. If the B.C. vote meant anything it is that the people do not intend to reverse this process. We are on our way somewhere, but nobody knows where. How can we expect to know in British Columbia when the whole world is being melted and cast into an unknown mold?

"Home town boy makes good" is a cheering headline. A better one is, "Home boy makes good town."

Parallel Thoughts

My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness.—II Corinthians 12:9.

Like strength is felt from hope, and from despair.—Homer.

Elmore Philpott

INVASION?

THE VIOLENT controversy which has raged in Britain for some weeks past, about whether or not to create another land front to relieve pressure on the embattled Soviet, is a far deeper thing than just an argument over a technical military question.

The best military opinion may be on the side of those who say that it would be too risky to attempt a serious invasion of western Europe at this time. But for obvious reasons such military experts cannot express themselves. They cannot tell the British public the exact status of the opposing military forces without giving away precious information to our common enemy. If they are all set to move—say against Italy—they can hardly be expected to say so, in order to settle an argument in the press or in Parliament.

But the whole matter goes far deeper than that. The people of the British Isles constitute the most alert democracy in the world. By sheer pressure of public opinion they have frequently forced unwilling governments to obey their mass will. The repudiation of the Hoare-Laval attempt to sell out Ethiopia was a case in point; the overthrow of the Chamberlain "phony war" cabinet was another.

Mr. Churchill enjoys and deserves a degree of confidence which no British Prime Minister has secured within the span of my memory. No one would accuse him of unwillingness to take risks. Indeed, the general criticism against certain aspects of his career is that he took unwarranted risks—too great chances.

Unfortunately, in this particular situation, Mr. Churchill is surrounded by people who would be far from sorry about what is happening in Russia if they had any way of keeping the Nazis from turning on them later.

It is thus far from true that the whole pre-war anti-appearance group is on the side of those demanding drastic action. Vernon Bartlett and A. J. Cummings, for instance, both warn against the folly of a premature invasion attempt. But it is true that the whole pre-war appeasement group is loudest in its denunciations of those demanding action. These people—the Moore-Brabsons and Colonel Blimps—are the sort of folk who were publicly refusing to drink toasts to the success of the Soviet armies, even after they had become our allies.

On the other side are people like Low, one of whose devastating cartoons makes three typical Blimps say: "Gad, sir, we can't start off with the enemy's back turned. All our plans are for when they're facing us."

BAXTER FORMULA

As a military prophet, Arthur Beverley Baxter rates none too high. As a reporter of the state-of-mind of the ex-Chamberlain group in the British Tory party he is unexcelled. On his recent tour of Canada, Mr. Baxter happened to give an important speech at Saskatoon on the very day that General MacNaughton in England was giving his most important interview on the general war situation. One of the keenest of all living soldiers was frankly telling newspapermen that it was folly to expect a people like the Germans to quit merely because of bombing, however devastating; and that a military force would first have to defeat German armies in the field, possibly by invading the heart of Germany itself.

At almost the same moment Mr. Baxter was telling his Saskatoon audience that it was highly probable that the war would soon reach the stalemate stage, where there would be no real land war; where Britain's offensive would be through the air; and where Germany would be chiefly active against Britain by air and by sea.

He was frank to state that Britain would not attempt to invade continental Europe unless and until United States armies arrived and made up a joint force strong enough to do so.

MOSCOW STILL STANDS

If the Russians continue their almost unbelievably heroic resistance and the Nazis can be kept west of Leningrad and Moscow till the Russian winter really sets in the British argument will not reach the showdown stage. But if Moscow is encircled, and the remaining Red armies are pushed back to the Volga, I look for drastic repercussions in British politics.

I do not believe that the man in the street would really believe that everything had been done to keep the Russians in the effective fighting line.

For the man in the British street knows better than we do what the Baxters are saying. He would certainly ask himself: How many years would it be before the United States could raise, equip, train and transport to Eu-

rope an army as effective as the Russian army destroyed this year?

The Russian army is in the war now. Few risks are too great to help her to stay there.

THEY ALSO SERVE

W. L. Clark in Windsor Star

Because the Australian and New Zealand soldiers have been in action in Africa, Greece, Crete and the Near East, there are constant expressions of opinion from critics of the Canadian government that Australia and New Zealand are doing more than Canada. We have not noted any real Canadian soldier saying that. It is quite true the Anzacs have been in action and that they have fought with all the ferocity and gallantry that was typical of their fathers in the last war. If the fighting had continued much longer in France, the Canadians would have been in it. Some Canadian units actually got across to France only to turn around and get out after the surrender of the French. When it seemed that Hitler was going to launch his invasion of Great Britain last autumn, the Canadians were being counted on to hold one of the hottest spots of the whole United Kingdom. Their training and equipment made them considered among the crack troops of Britain. As we have mentioned before no one should belittle the Canadians because they have been guarding the United Kingdom, while the Australians and New Zealanders have been fighting in other areas. The Canadians will do their job of fighting well, when they are called on. And don't forget, there is plenty of room in the ranks of the Canadian army for all the boys who think the Canadians should be doing more.

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WAR ESSENTIALS

From New York Post

What is the priority rating for the metal, paint and other materials in slot machines designed for export? We do recognize the high morale-building quality of a slot machine that spills the jackpot into one's hand. But sometimes the spirit droops while waiting for the payoff. This philosophizing was prompted by the story of "Bull" Fielding, well-known morale specialist of Windsor, Ont. The "Bull" ordered quite a consignment of United States slot machines, but the Canadian customs authorities refused, as a wartime emergency ruling, to admit them. But he went to the State Department in Washington, and the full force and authority of the American government finally was invoked to smash the barrier. We wonder if the government wouldn't be just as willing to send Canada that metal in airplanes as in slot machines.

We can never accept the overlordship of supermen or the supremacy of any group or race or class of men.—James Marshall, president New York Board of Education.

IMPRISONING THE MIND

From The Times, London

Hitler knows... that the pursuit of truth for its own sake is inconsistent with Nazi doctrine. Free minds will never accept its crude dogmatism. He therefore seeks everywhere—in his own country first of all—to imprison the mind. The extent to which he has succeeded is already a major tragedy.

CONSCRIPTION IN CANADA

W. L. Clark in Windsor Star

Those who belittle Canada's troops and Canada's war effort keep saying that the United States has conscription, but Canada has not got conscription. That is not true.

The United States has conscription for home defence and Canada has conscription for the defence of Canada. Besides, Canada has a large overseas army and many of those called up for defence training have volunteered for overseas service.

Let's not be so anxious to blackguard Canada and Canada's brave soldiers that we don't stick to facts about what Canada is really doing.

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Marketing Probe

Control Necessary
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Since yields are so irregular in B.C., marketing control is necessary to assure the producer a fair return at all times was the contention put forward to the commission investigating the workings of the Natural Products Marketing (B.C.) Act yesterday by E. O. MacGinnis, provincial markets commissioner.

He went on to say that the fruit board was organized to maintain a steady market throughout the year, despite flooding, and dairy products board to prevent surpluses from depressing the price. "Orderly marketing" was the phrase he used to describe the purpose of the marketing boards.

Giving specific example of the dairy products board of which he was secretary for a number of years, Mr. MacGinnis said 3,500,000 pounds of butter fat were sold on the fluid market each year. But as the total production was about 8,000,000, the surplus interfered with the fluid market. He said the situation was relieved now because the manufactured milk market was as good as the fluid milk market because of the war.

Mr. MacGinnis said the reactions of certain provinces, particularly the Prairie Provinces, was that of interested inquiry into the workings of the marketing act.

Questioned as to whether or not the voting for election of members to the boards was satis-

factory, Mr. MacGinnis said he considered it so and that more persons are voting by mail than if a personal ballot were used.

He said it was his personal opinion that the provincial board should have more control over elections.

James E. Lane, chairman of the provincial board, said he was quite satisfied crop returns were better and the quality had been improved by the market control. He said the producers were enabled to take a definite interest in the progress of their products from the producer to the consumer.

"How about the spread to the wholesalers and retailers, hasn't it been reduced?" asked Gilbert Hogg, counsel for the B.C. Federation of Agriculture.

"Yes, it has," replied Mr. Lane. Continuing the inquiry into complaints about the conducting of elections, Mr. Lane said complaints had often been investigated very thoroughly but none was found to be justified.

Mr. Lane said control had the following advantages: It enables the majority of producers to prevent the minority from spoiling their market; growers have a greater interest in their products and take a more intelligent view of quality and consumer wants; and returns to the producers have been improved although, with changing conditions, this was hard to prove.

Jack Johnson Likes
Franklin's Chances

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP)—The fighter who will succeed Joe Louis as world heavyweight champion, in the opinion of former champion Jack Johnson, is Lem Franklin, 22-year-old Cleveland negro.

"This Franklin is a fair boxer with two very good hands," Johnson said Thursday. "He can hit harder than Louis and he's hard to hurt. He's the boy."

The planets Venus and Mercury pass through the same phases as the earth's moon.

All Out to Aid Chest



Their motto is "Be Prepared."

When the call goes out for duty to help any agency operating for the public welfare, Victoria's Boy Scouts stand doubly ready.

Saturday between 700 and 1,000 of them will cover the whole of Greater Victoria distributing pamphlets of the Community Chest headquarters appealing for donations to the 1941-42 fund. Starting early in the morning, they expect to have their job done in a matter of three or four hours. They plan to leave a pamphlet illustrative of Community Chest work at every door in the Greater Victoria area and, on the basis of past performances, their work will be well done.

The leaflet itself embodying the Community Chest slogan "Guard the Home Front," is well illustrated and points to the need for continuation of the services rendered by the 22 social welfare

organizations benefiting from and depending upon the Community Chest for their existence.

The Scouts, by assuming delivery responsibility for that publicity medium, both ensure the arrival of the pamphlets at all homes and save the Chest committee a substantial amount in distribution costs.

"We are happy to render the service," said Major J. Wise, district commissioner. "As Scouts it is our duty to help organizations such as the Community Chest. Furthermore, since we benefit from the chest, this service gives us an opportunity to repay in some slight measure the debt we owe the organization."

WELL ORGANIZED

The Boy Scouts Association, Victoria district, from President Hew Paterson down to its youngest members in the Cubs is well organized for the work. Under the direction of Major Wise, his assistant commissioner, Major H. B. Hunter; Freeman Kane, commissioner for training; Mrs. S. W. Brock, assistant district commissioner for Cubs;

W. "Skipper" Bardsley, sea scouts commissioner; Raymond Jones, treasurer of the local association, the various leaders of both Scouts and Cub packs have been marshaled to handle the job.

It's an undertaking of some dimensions. To carry it out the association is receiving the full co-operation of Scoutmasters Skipper Bardsley, S. R. Sharff, Rev. Brother Whalen, K. W. Symons, G. Potts, J. B. Williamson, Major Wise, H. Ferguson, Ted Lindford, Capt. A. Cornish, Wilf Clare, Tom Charles, George Davis and V. E. L. Goddard as well as Cub Leaders R. Bardsley, Mrs. L. Mitchell, Miss S. Gould, Miss M. Comber, Mr. Kinnis, Miss Pam Ferguson, Miss Alice Stocken, Miss Winnie Lees, Miss Rosemary Steward, Mrs. R. Hubbard, A. Whittan, Mrs. D. Denith, Miss Jean Parker, Miss Mary Rankin, Mrs. Bessie Clare, Ralph Fell and Mrs. Beatrice Gridley.

The project will give the full membership an opportunity to demonstrate to the new honorary patron, Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Woodward, the efficiency of which the association is capable.

Bible Study in
High Schools

A meeting attended by ministers of Saanich to consider the matter of Bible study in the high schools was held Wednesday in St. Mark's Hall. Rev. T. G. Griffiths was appointed chairman and Rev. O. L. Jull secretary. The chairman informed the meeting that the Ministerial Association of Victoria had appointed a committee to deal with the matter in Victoria, and that attempts to put the proposals into practice were being made in other parts of the province.

Discussion followed dealing with the regulations set by the Department of Education governing teaching of the Bible, regulations which bid fair to make it well nigh impossible to put the plan into practice.

First of all was the regulation requiring that the lessons can only be taught after school hours. This ruling would not only prejudice the subject of Bible study in the mind of many pupils, but would make it impossible for most of the pupils in rural parts to attend.

The other regulation which came up for severe criticism was that the lessons were not to be taught in the school premises. It was pointed out that in some parts of Saanich the nearest building suitable for teaching the lessons was two miles away from the school, and in places where there were buildings not too far away there was the cost of heating and janitor service.

It was unanimously decided that a delegation of representative ministers wait upon the Saanich School Board for the purpose of seeking its co-operation for teaching the study of the Bible as provided in the syllabus drawn up by the Department of Education.

Improved glass cooking utensils have resulted from the knowledge gained in the search for better telescope mirrors.

CANADA PRAISED
FOR WAR EFFORT

NEW YORK (CP)—The New York Herald Tribune said editorially today the idea held by some Americans that Canada is not doing everything in her power to prosecute the war is contrary to the facts.

"All the evidence goes to show Canada's war effort to date has been splendid," said the newspaper. "No Canadian need feel anything but pride in what his country has done."

The Herald Tribune gave a lengthy comparison between what Canada is spending on war and the United States on defence and aid to Britain and found it in the Dominion's favor.

Fish are never seen by some species of kingfishers, which live in dry areas, and eat insects, lizards, and snakes.

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English Countryside
Has Few War Scars

By ROY THORSEN

LONDON.

I'm over the puddle at last and fresh back from debarkation leave. Spent five excellent days seeing the sights of London. Got a first-hand view of the damage done to the big city and saw many other things of interest.

Our new barracks aren't bad, but lacking of the comforts we had in Canada. We are not eating as plentifully as in Canada. Things are rationed pretty closely so the boys find it difficult to get that Canadian fullness. The invigorating English air adds to the appetite. However, there are dry canteens in the camp and if the boys have the necessary cash they can fill in the holes with cakes and buns and tea.

FOOLED BY MARGARINE

We have margarine to spread on our bread instead of butter. We had been using it for several days before we found out it wasn't butter, and had to be told. It looks exactly like butter, but now when we think of it, it isn't as tasty. It's quite satisfactory, though.

We had a splendid trip across the Atlantic. I always feared such a sea trip would send my stomach a bit wonky, but it was such smooth sailing I did not even feel a bit sick. Censorship prevents going into details, but I can say that after looking at so much sea-green the land sailors were glad to see terra firma again. The soldiery on our ship crowded the rails and cheered lustily when land first hove into sight.

Already I've traveled the length of England and seen some of Scotland by rail. I must say the countryside of both is very beautiful in its late summer dress of green bushy-topped trees and mile after mile of farms with cut, uncut, semiripe and still-green crops of grain.

FLOWERS, VICTORIA MEMORIES

The railways in this country, the overhead type, allow a lovely view of the countryside. All along the way I saw flowers in the front yards of homes in the villages and towns. The sight reminded me of Victoria. In fact, many things are similar to what we have in the west, including the late summer weather.

A thing that struck me was the way in which all available land was being utilized to bear crops for the British breadbasket. Didn't see much unused land. A record-breaking crop is anticipated this year.

There is little sign of war in the peaceful countryside. Only

indications are the numerous air raid shelters in the villages.

LONDON DAMAGE

I half expected to see an awful picture of destruction in London after reading so much about the bombings. It wasn't as bad as I thought it would look. I saw lots of places which had been hit by the Jerries, but the damage is spread over a large area. Most London buildings look so old you think they are ready to fall apart. When you see the men still engaged in clearing away the wreckage you get the impression they are demolition squads carrying out orders to tear down the buildings before they fall down.

Please don't get the impression that London hasn't been hard hit. There is still lots of evidence scattered around to show it has, but it is such a large city the damage doesn't look so impressive. You can walk down many streets and not see a sign of damage. Then again you find many buildings—even rows and blocks of them—in shambles on other streets. But unless you want to see it and make a point to go look for the wreckage you don't see a great deal of it. A lot of damage has been cleared away completely. Buildings not damaged beyond repair have been fixed up again and the residents have gone back to stay on.



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The Pacific Ocean despite its sprawling thousands of miles, is "home waters" to British Columbia's seamen. With the marking of "Navy Week," under the sponsorship of the Navy League of Canada, British Columbians have marked the Royal Canadian Navy's successes in "home waters" with as much pride as they feel for the Navy's work in the Battle of the Atlantic and in the Battle of Britain.

All Canada knows of the first prize of war made by a Canadian warship. She was the German merchant ship *Weser*, captured in the southern Pacific after a warning shot across her bows had brought her to a sudden stop, and a boarding party from Canada's armed merchant cruiser *Prince Robert*, under Commander C. T. Beard, had swarmed up her side and taken control above and below. Her capture was a double victory for the Canadian Navy, for not only did they lessen Hitler's merchant fleet by a very valuable unit, but they added this valuable unit to the merchant navy, which is Great Britain's life-line.

PRINCE HENRY'S FEAT

All Canada does not yet, however, know of another double victory by a Canadian armed merchant cruiser, in this instance H.M.C.S. *Prince Henry*, sister to H.M.C.S. *Prince Robert*. In one day, the *Prince Henry* intercepted two German ships as, after a long period of skulking in a neutral South American harbor, they endeavored to run the British blockade.

When the day came to an end, the two Nazi ships were at the bottom of the Pacific Ocean, into which they had sunk, ablaze from stem to stern after their crews, in German tradition, had set them afire. The closing of the day saw H.M.C.S. *Prince Henry* on patrol once more, this time with half a hundred or more German seamen held as prisoners of war.

MORE TO BE TOLD

So, in briefest form, the tale of one day's effective blow to Nazi hopes given by a ship of the Royal Canadian Navy. The full tale yet awaits release: It is the story of seamanship and decisive

action which deserves a page of its own in the gallant history of the Royal Canadian Navy is writing for itself with its exploits at sea. Neither, when presented as one day's work, does the story do justice to the tremendous task so willingly, and so capably, undertaken by Canada's seamen.

The measure of this work cannot be judged by the capture of one ship or the sinking of two others. These are but incidents—inspiring incidents, it is true—in the major success.

Rather should be considered that, to all intents and purposes, the German merchant marine has been chased from the seas of the world, and that Canada's navy has had its part in the chasing. What is more, is helping hold the seas so that such ships of the Nazi merchant marine which remain afloat are kept pent and impotent in harbor.

NEVER RELAXED

Canada's seamen could tell of days and nights, stretching into weeks and months, of steady, monotonous patrols in the Pacific Ocean; of days when there was not a smudge of smoke to bring variety to an apparently empty ocean, and the ceaseless watch grew wearisome indeed. Vigilance, however, has never relaxed and, in calm or in storm, the Canadian navy has kept the seas so that the seas shall be free of the enemy. Bringing home a prize of war is most satisfactory, but there is a true satisfaction, too, in the knowledge that the monotonous patrols which led to such captures have been well and efficiently performed.

The west coast, too, has seen another phase of the navy's work—the protection of its own coastline. British Columbia's coast, with its indentations and islands and hidden bays and sheltering points is a naval problem in itself. The islands have a coastline of 3,980 miles; the mainland a coastline of 1,580 miles, or a total of 5,560 miles over which to keep watch and ward. The navy tackled the problem and the coast is secure.

As secure for Canada as the Pacific Ocean is unsafe for the Nazis... which is all that the Royal Canadian Navy asks!

With the Forces



SIGNALMAN RALPH E. HENSEN has his eyes on the skyways. He has come under the spell of roaring pistons in his motorcycle which he has driven for the R.C.C.S. as dispatch rider since last June. Speed and more speed is what he wants. So he made application to his commanding officer to be transferred to the R.C.A.F. and Tuesday he left Work Point Barracks to become a pilot. Signalman Hensen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hensen, Vancouver.



SERGEANT PILOT NORMAN HULL, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Hull, 1224 Fairfield Road, has left for overseas after spending his leave here. He won his wings at the Yorkton, Sask., training centre. Pilot Hull was born in Grand Forks, B.C.

Queen Presents Colors to Regiment

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND (CP) — The Queen presented colors today to Saskatoon Light Infantry, crack machine gun regiment of the Canadian 1st Division, in a traditional ceremony attended by a distinguished Canadian gathering.

With the battalion under its new lieutenant-colonel, E. J. Scott-Dudley of Saskatoon, drawn up in an open square, the Queen gave the regiment its two battle flags, one an embroidered Union Jack adorned with the regimental crest and the other a dark blue ensign with gold and red inscriptions of the regiment's 19 battle honors of the first Great War.

The flags were gifts of the citizens of Saskatoon.

"I know how much your dear ones must be praying for you and how they are thinking with pride of the part you have been called upon to play in guarding these shores," the Queen told the battalion.

"I know you will remember that the defence of this island is vital no less to those whom you love than to the cause for which you are fighting."



L.A.C. NEIL VINCENT, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Vincent, 1525 Fell Street, is now in Britain with the radio section of the R.C.A.F. He joined the air force after taking a four-month radio course at McGill University. His brother, Fred, is also in England with the Royal Canadian Postal Corps.

John Fovah Dead

LONDON (CP) — Capt. John Fovah, one of the founders of the Honorable Company of Master Mariners, died at Chesham Bois, Buckinghamshire. He was 91.

With Nazi Blessing?

COPENHAGEN (CP) — Newspapers from German-occupied Denmark open a tour of neutral Sweden at Stockholm, September 20.

Nova Scotia Strong In Political Traditions

By DOUGLAS HOW

Stronghold of Liberalism almost consistently since 1867, the year of Canada's confederation, Nova Scotia goes to the polls October 29, to elect its 19th Legislative Assembly.

With the exception of the periods 1878-82 and 1925-33, when the Conservatives were in power, Liberal governments have always directed the political affairs of Nova Scotia, as a province.

At dissolution of the 18th legislature Premier A. S. MacMillan had the support of 22 members. The Conservatives, under Leonard W. Fraser, had five seats; Douglas McDonald of Cape Breton Centre, was the lone representative of the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation and there were two vacancies.

Two of the 18 counties in the province—Halifax and Cape Breton—are divided into five ridings each. Four others—Colchester, Cumberland, Lunenburg and Pictou—each have two representatives while the other constituencies each constitute a single riding.

For 43 years before Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Conservative, later Canadian Minister of Finance, became premier in 1925 in the wake of a violent strike in the Cape Breton coal fields, Liberal regimes had held office.

SOME TRADITIONS

Nova Scotian elections have spawned two traditions. One is that which causes many to vote as their grandparents did, for Howe, Liberalism and against confederation; or for Tupper, Conservatism and confederation.

The other is the tendency of urban populations to vote Conservative and rural people to favor Liberal. However, heavy Liberal majorities in the last two legislatures have done much to shatter this tradition.

The first House, after confederation, sat January 30, 1868, under Liberal Premier William Annand. He had become premier the previous November upon the resignation of Hon. H. Blanchard who had formed a government on July 4, 1867, in opposition to confederation in which Nova Scotia entered under the leadership of Sir Charles Tupper.

Leader of the anti-confederationalists before this event was Joseph Howe, but, like Tupper, he never sat in the provincial House after 1867. When Blanchard formed his government,

Howe was in England trying to have Nova Scotia removed from the Dominion and restored to colonial status by London.

Howe changed his views a few years later and served under Sir John A. MacDonald in the federal cabinet. Just before his death, he became Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia. The agitation against Confederation was continued, however, by his former supporters until the Liberals were defeated in 1878.

Conservatives remained in power until 1882, under S. H. Holmes, and J. S. D. Thompson, who later became prime minister of Canada. At that time, Sir Charles Tupper, the Conservative leader in confederation days, was active in federal politics. Like Thompson, he became Canadian prime minister for a short time, in 1896.

From 1882 to 1925, Liberals held sway at Halifax, under Premiers W. T. Pipes, W. S. Fielding, later federal minister of finance, G. H. Murray and E. H. Armstrong. Then came the Conservative regimes of Rhodes and G. S. Harrington.

In 1933, Angus L. Macdonald smashed an eight-year Conservative dynasty and restored Liberal rule. He was returned in 1937 and when he was called to Ottawa in 1940 to become minister of defence for naval affairs, A. Stirling MacMillan became premier.

THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, 5 a.m. today—Moderate to heavy rains have occurred on the Queen Charlottes and the northern coast has been generally cloudy. Elsewhere in British Columbia it has been mostly fair with fog patches both on the coast and in the interior valleys. It continues fair and mild over the western prairies, but has become partly cloudy over the eastern portion.

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	60	45
Nanaimo	64	40
Vancouver	55	40
New Westminster	56	40
Prince Rupert	56	48
Dawson	24	18
Seattle	62	45
Portland	67	43
San Francisco	62	54
Kamloops	55	40
Prince George	58	46
Kelowna	47	40
Vernon	46	35
Nelson	54	34
Grand Forks	58	32
Kaslo	53	34
Calgary	53	33
Edmonton	50	30
Prince Albert	59	35
Regina	64	31
Winnipeg	59	37
Toronto	58	45
Ottawa	55	38
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Editor Dead
EDINBURGH (CP) — Walter McPhail, managing editor of the *Evening News*, who once described his hobbies as reading, public speaking, watching sport and dodging bores, died suddenly.

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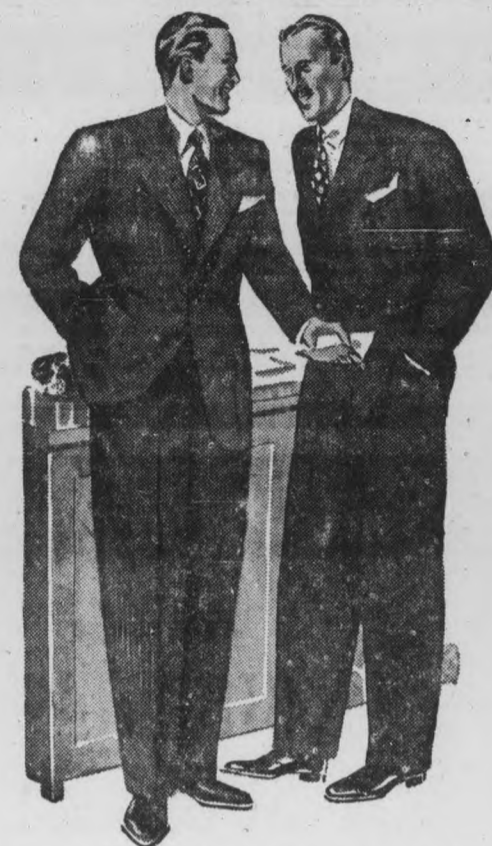
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For the rip-roaring atmosphere of the boom days of the Yukon was revived at "Bonanza Night," staged by Spencer's War Aid Volunteers in aid of its funds for sending comforts to the troops overseas and to the bombed-out people of Britain.

It was a gala night, crowds of guests patronizing the booths and besieging the 24 pretty dancing hostesses with bids, their dances selling at a "boom" price. Uniforms of the R.A.F. and the Canadian forces were prevalent, all units having been sent complimentary tickets.

EVEN DRINKS PHONY

The bar and saloon was a popular rendezvous. Soft drinks were served from bottles whose labels suggested something more potent; baked beans, coffee and pie disappeared like magic, even though the price of a cup of coffee was \$100. "Fortunes" were lost and won at the roulette wheel, the faro table, crown and anchor, and the other phony games, which were brought over from Vancouver where they were used at the Elsa Maxwell party recently.

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In charge of the general arrangements for the evening were Mr. O. M. Prentice, president; Miss Sadie Underwood, secretary-treasurer; Messrs. F. A. Tadmor, E. H. Street and W. Thomson, Mrs. E. Harvey, Mrs. M. Mitchell and Miss K. Elston. Assisting Miss Elston in handling the proceeds, which amounted to over \$600, were Mrs. K. Kerr and the Misses G. Day and B. Colbert. Mrs. E. Clarke, Mrs. Wilders and Miss M. Hurst were responsible for the refreshments, assisted by a large committee of workers, and Miss Margaret Winter and Miss W. Robinson had charge of the contests. Mr. T. Groome was an efficient doorman. Cecil Heaton was responsible for the dance hall music, and Mr. R. Milburn assisted in the dance hall.

Arcanum Dance Aids Drill Team

An enjoyable dance was held by members of Majestic Council, Royal Arcanum, Tuesday night at the Crystal Garden in aid of the Victoria Girls' Drill Team. Appreciation was expressed by the grand regent, Mr. H. J. Applegate, for the splendid work being done by the team in publicizing Victoria, and for their smartness and efficiency.

Captain Norman Foster, organizer and director of the team, thanked the council for their help, stressing the fact that the team was a voluntary organization and appreciative of any financial assistance.

A spectacular floor show was given by the "Swingettes Octette" from the Florence Clough Dancing Academy, the performers being the Misses Velda Willie, Kathleen Burns, Betty Cunt, June Gibson, Rhoda Leaman, Theresa Perkins, "Dinky" and "Pinky" Sanderson.

Vice-Regent F. Watkins announced that one of the council's members overseas with the R.C.A.F., Gunner Sidney Fisher, previously listed as missing, was now reported a prisoner of war in Germany.

MARGARET JENKINS' P.T.A.

The Margaret Jenkins' Parent-Teacher Association met in the school auditorium Tuesday, Mrs. C. Shaw in the chair. Mr. W. Muncey, the principal, thanked the association on behalf of the staff for the new Gestetner which has been installed in the school.

Plans for the school party tonight are complete. Mrs. G. Anstey spoke on Red Cross work in the district and appealed for help with sewing.

Fifteen dollars for school magazines was voted by the meeting. Mrs. H. Quest was appointed delegate to the border conference to be held on Monday, October 27, at the Empress Hotel.

Dr. Saunders, the school doctor, addressed the parents, his topic being "Vaccination." Mrs. E. Nattrass and her committee served refreshments.

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CONVENER OF THE BRIDGE TEA to be held at the home of Mrs. Duncan McTavish, 28 Douglas Street, Saturday afternoon at 2.30 is Miss Joan Hall, above. The affair is under the auspices of St. Joseph's Junior W.A. in aid of its funds for hospital work.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Williams of Los Angeles, who have been visiting Mr. Williams' sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Simpson, Sherwood, Langford, left on Tuesday for their home in California.

Mrs. E. C. Ashton, who recently returned to Victoria with Major-General E. C. Ashton, to make her home here, was the guest of honor when Mrs. E. G. Prior entertained at a mah jong party yesterday at her home on St. Charles Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Demille and their two children, who will leave next Tuesday for Regina where Mr. Demille will take up his new duties at the U.S. consulate, are the guests of Mr. Reed Paige Clark, the U.S. Consul, and Mrs. Clark until their departure. Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Clark entertained at a small dinner party in their honor.

In honor of Miss Marjorie Mackie, a November bride-to-be, Mrs. W. B. Trimble entertained recently at a cup and saucer shower at her home, 1742 Denman Street. The guest of honor was presented with a corsage of rosebuds and her mother, Mrs. W. Mackie, received a dainty carnation bouquet. Many lovely pieces of chinaware were concealed in a huge white and gold cup and saucer, and the reception rooms were decorated in the same color theme. Games and contests were enjoyed, the winners being Mesdames E. Turner, E. Thomas, C. Braithwaite, A. Edwards, J. Trimble and C. De La Haye.

Miss Mavis Janet Chaffey, daughter of Mrs. George E. Chaffey of Victoria and the late Major G. E. Chaffey of Vancouver, will be married this evening at St. John's Church to Mr. Tom Marvel of New York City, it was announced today. Miss Chaffey was educated at Queen Margaret School, Duncan. Mr. Marvel is vice-president of Frank Schoonmaker and Co., New York, wine importers and merchants. He was formerly on the staff of the Paris edition of the New York Herald Tribune and is co-author with Frank Schoonmaker of the book, "American Wines," published last June. The couple will make their home in New York, after a wedding trip to California.

In honor of Miss Hilda Sharpe, whose marriage to Sgt. Observer Cyril P. Ashorn will take place this month, Misses Mary Morry and Iris Vallance were joint hostesses at a shower held at the latter's home Wednesday evening. On their arrival the bride-to-be and her mother were presented with rosebud corsages. The gifts were contained in a daintily-decorated box covered with colored streamers attached to a miniature airplane. Several games were played, the prizes being won by Misses E. Earle, H. Sharpe and M. Morry. During the serving of refreshments the bride's cake was brought in on a small table covered with a cutwork cloth. The cake was surrounded with pink tulle held in place by tiny chrysanthemums and centred by pink tapers. The invited guests were: Mesdames H. Sharpe, J. Pite, J. Morry, G. Vallance, B. Webb, and Misses E. Earle, H. Sharpe, D. Pite, M. Morry, B. Powell, N. Pite, D. Powell, C. Stephenson, B. Albhouse, A. Sharpe and M. Reid.

Mr. Gordon Belyea of Vancouver has been spending the last few days in Victoria.

Mrs. A. Nation of Vancouver, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. H. B. Ker, Shasta Place, has returned home.

Miss Muriel Galt, St. Charles Street, who has been on a short trip to Montreal has returned home.

Mrs. B. Deane Freeman, who has been visiting friends in Calgary, has returned to her home, "Three Dot Ranch," Langford.

Mrs. H. E. Ridewood, St. Charles Street, and her daughter Jane, who have been visiting in Santa Barbara with her sister, Mrs. Landon Barnes, for a couple of months, are expected home next week.

Flying Officer J. D. D. Campbell, who has been spending two weeks' leave at his home here, will leave tomorrow by plane on his return to the east. His wife will leave on Sunday for the mainland and travel by train to join him in eastern Canada.

Mrs. H. B. Jackson, who has been staying at Harrison Hot Springs since she closed the Emerald Lake Chalet of which she is manageress, has returned to Victoria to resume her position as social hostess at the Empress Hotel for the winter months.

Mr. George Cuthbert, who has been spending two weeks' vacation at Carnation, Alberta, returned Wednesday to his home at Jordan River. Mr. Alistair Massey, who accompanied his friend but visited at Stoughton, Sask., returned to his home at Langford.

Mrs. Kirby Herchmer, who has been visiting her parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Cattroll, St. Charles Street, will leave on Monday for the east to join her husband, Pilot Officer K. A. Herchmer, R.C.A.F., who has been transferred from Brandon, Man., where he has been in training, to Halifax. Mrs. Herchmer will spend a short time in Winnipeg before going to Ottawa, to visit her aunt, Mrs. J. Baynes, before proceeding to Halifax, where she will stay with her brother-in-law and sister, Lieut. W. I. Ferguson, R.C.N.V.R., and Mrs. Ferguson.

Miss Daphne Simmons entertained at her home on Cook Street Thursday evening with a shower in compliment to Miss Margaret Goldsmith, a much-feted bride-to-be. A shoulder posy of pink carnations and violets was presented to the guest of honor and later she received the many attractive gifts, concealed in a shower container decorated in pink and white. Pink asters in a silver bowl, with pink tapers in silver holders centred the lace-covered supper table. The guests were Misses Margaret Howroyd, Barbara Findlay, Anna Anderson, Dorothy Girdwood, Beverly Prescott, Kay Mottershead, Elaine Beeston, Babs Pollock, Tooke Wille and Helen Gilliland.

The girls of the staff of the Department of Education entertained at a linen shower at the home of Miss V. Martin, Harbinger Avenue, last evening, in honor of Miss Elizabeth Morrison whose marriage to Mr. William Lovell, R.C.N.V.R., will take place next week. Those present

Weddings

McINTOSH-BOLAM

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Mrs. R. Morrison, Mrs. C. W. Lovell, Mrs. J. Powell, Mrs. H. Kerswell, Mrs. V. C. Martin, Misses G. Cruickshank, F. Wheaton, E. Renwick, A. Lovell, G. Davies, W. Snape, J. Henry, E. Orr, M. Boyd, L. Waring, K. Staverman, R. Rayment, B. Thomas, F. Law, D. Beare, A. Adamson, E. Wilson, E. Allen, B. Kirby, H. Coton, J. Burnett, M. Clark, J. Burne, V. Martin.

Mrs. T. Leason entertained at a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Frances Nute, who is to be married shortly. Upon her arrival the bride-to-be was presented with a corsage of cream roses. The lovely gifts were contained in a model canoe decorated in pink. The refreshment table was covered with a lace cloth, centred with an arrangement of bronze and yellow asters. Games were enjoyed, prize winners being Misses R. Stansfield and D. Nute and Mrs. T. Nute Jr. The invited guests included Mesdames H. Webber, A. Browning, Petterson, T. Nute Sr., A. Stansfield, C. Merriman, T. Nute Jr., H. Rivers, B. Mason and the Misses D. Nute, R. Stansfield and E. Brown.

Miss Margaret Goldsmith, who is to be married shortly to Mr. Victor Di Castri, was the guest of honor at a shower given by her associates of the provincial income tax department at the home of Miss Louise Griffiths, 221 Montreal Street, Victoria. On her arrival she received a corsage of violets and pink rosebuds. Later a dusty pink rose boudoir rug, wrapped in the shape of a white bonbon, was presented by Miss Connie Chow on behalf of those present. Refreshments were served from a table covered by a Venetian lace cloth, centred with a shower cake flanked by chrysanthemums in fall shades. Those present were Mrs. Lorne Creighton, Mrs. Gordon Evans and the Misses Peggy Barker, Jean Bishop, Betty Carey, Connie Chow, Kay Davey, Joan French, Rhoda Goward, Eileen Lannigan, Laura McBride, Kay McKenzie, Peggy McFarlane, Sheila Pennington, Monica Robbins, Victoria Sangster, Dola Veitch, Peggy Wharton, Joy Winsby and Ardath Yardley.

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Bolam gave his daughter in marriage and Mr. David McIntosh acted as his brother's best man. The music was played by Miss Patricia Brown, who accompanied Mrs. T. Rickenbacher of Seattle when she sang "O Promise Me" during the signing of the register.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Buchanan home. For the occasion Mrs. McIntosh chose a floor-length gown of soldier blue, with black hat and matching blue quills and a corsage of roses and heather. Mrs. E. Abercrombie, the bride's aunt, wore a vintage red lace ensemble with a corsage of roses. Mr. J. M. Buchanan proposed the bride's health and during the evening a musical program was enjoyed.

The bride and groom left for a honeymoon trip to Vancouver Island. For traveling the bride wore a prairie green dressmaker suit with antelope trim and brown accessories. Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh will leave November 5

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W.A. to Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., held their card social in the board room Thursday. Cribbage players were J. Jackson and J. Fielding; court whist, Mrs. M. E. Davis and Mrs. H. Plewes. Mrs. A. Jones won the special prize. Mrs. G. Ree and her staff served refreshments.

'Y' Girls Arrange Country Fair

Thursday evening, November 6, the Y.W.C.A. will be the scene of much merriment when the Senior Girls' Club department presents a "country fair," with the proceeds going to the British "Y" War Work Fund for British servicemen.

All clubs are co-operating to make this affair a huge success and many attractions are offered for "Y" members and their friends. The ladies of the board of directors and members of the various committees are assisting with the plans and will be present during the evening.

Dancing to Fred Pitt's orchestra will continue from 8.30 to 11.30. Court whist will be in progress from 8 on, and refreshments will be served throughout the evening. Side attractions will include dart boards, a fishpond, candy and home-cooking sales, a floor show, novelty dances with prizes and tea and reading.

The clubs co-operating in this effort are the Omphalos, Y. Owens, Live Yers, Versatiles, Enterprise, Hi-Y Grads and Vialta-Vega. Various committees are at work headed up by club leaders and presidents, and include: Kitty Cameron, Amy Harness, Marjorie Crowe, Muriel Prendergast, May King, Gertrude Demers, Mary Pinches and Olive



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MARRIED 50 YEARS—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Grant were "at home" to many friends at "Bonnie Doon," West Saanich Road, Wednesday, in celebration of their golden wedding day.

Clubwomen's News

Jordan, Mrs. Walter Walker is convening the work of the girls' work committee and Mrs. Richard Felton will be in charge of hostesses for the dancing.

There will be a comic "band" staged by the Vialta-Vega Club and a Haymakers' dance directed by Miss Frances Borde, with some of the Y.W.C.A. gym girls taking part. All those taking part and any of the guests who wish may come in costumes suggestive of the country fair and decorations will also be in keeping with that theme.

The evening's program is patterned after the "at home" which was so successful last spring, and it is hoped that the support of the girls' effort will bring as good results as then. Tickets are available from any of the club girls or at the Y.W.C.A.

The Victoria Hand Weavers' Guild will meet Monday at 8 in Room 410, Union Building. Dr. W. R. Gunn of the Department of Agriculture will speak to the guild on the subject of wool.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Canadian Navy will meet Tuesday at Prince Robert House at 2.30.

Beaver Theta Rho Girls' Club will meet tonight at 7.30 at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas Street. After the meeting a Halloween party will be held.

The Young Women's Missionary Society of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church met with the president, Mrs. H. Holmes, in the chair. Miss Campbell, from the "Big Sister" organization, gave glimpses of their work in Victoria.

The Mission of Alexis will hold its annual sale of work November 6 from 2.30 to 5.30 at the hall of the Hard of Hearing Club, 1416 Douglas Street. The stalls will include fancywork, aprons, home cooking, white elephant, house-houses, raffles and teas with reading.

The sum of \$333 was realized from the autumn tea and sale of work held recently at the Jubilee Hospital Nurses' Home, it was reported at a meeting of the Victoria Unit of the Overseas Nursing Sisters' Association last night at the home of Mrs. F. L. Crofton, 930 McClure Street, Miss M. E. Morrison, the president, in the chair. The annual meeting and election of officers will be held on Armistice Day, the time and place to be announced later.

First United Evening W.A. met at the home of Miss D. Hay, Dallas Road, Wednesday. The vice-president, Mrs. R. S. Niven, presided. A report was given on the sale of cookbooks and plans drawn up for the bazaar in November. Miss M. McDougall introduced Dr. J. S. Cull, assistant officer of the provincial board of health, and Miss Joyce Craig, a social worker in the Victoria clinic. Miss Craig led a discussion and Dr. Cull showed interesting moving pictures on the work being done to suppress venereal disease in B.C. Mrs. R. Wallace led the devotional, after which Miss Barbara Martin and Miss Jean Sargison sang a duet. Refreshments were served by the hostesses. The next meeting will be held November 26 at the home of Mrs. R. D. Matthews, 707 Linden Avenue. Miss H. Porter and Mrs. R. Thomas are in charge of the program.

ESQUIMALT Y.P.S.

The Esquimalt Y.P.S. met Wednesday. President Harry Elam welcomed members of the Chinese United Church Young People, also Miss Hazel Miller, to the meeting. The devotional period was taken by Miss Joan Cockburn.

A masquerade party to be held Tuesday, October 23, at the First United Church, members were reminded. A report on the Young People's conference in Vancouver was given by Miss Marjorie Pready.

The next meeting will take the place of a Halloween social under the convenship of Misses Marjorie Pready, Beryl King and Hazel Miller. A quiz was held under the direction of Miss Helen Ward and was followed by two numbers by the Chinese Y.P.S.

HEADS W.C.T.U.

TORONTO (CP)—Mrs. Grace Knight of Edmonton yesterday was re-elected president of the Canadian Women's Christian Temperance Union. The 30th biennial convention of the union is being held at nearby Scarborough. Mrs. T. H. Wright, Vancouver, is one of the honorary presidents.

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Mrs. Rebecca Jane Weston, widow of E. O. Weston, 1929 Ash Street, a well-known and active worker in I.O.E. and Metropolitan Church circles for many years, died Thursday afternoon in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, aged 76 years.

The funeral service will be held on Saturday afternoon at 3 from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse will officiate and interment will be at Royal Oak.



MRS. E. O. WESTON

Women's Ambulance Corps Inspected

The Women's Ambulance Corps was inspected at the Cridge Memorial Hall by Mr. J. Fyfe Smith, provincial commissioner of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, Wednesday night. He was accompanied by Mr. T. H. Morrison, provincial superintendent, and invited guests were Mr. G. H. Stevens, president, St. John

Ambulance B.C. Association, and Mrs. Rogers, nursing sister, St. John Ambulance Brigade. They were met and received by Miss Helena Butterfield, commandant, Mrs. W. Cameron Murray, second in command, and Miss M. E. Dunn, secretary of the Women's Ambulance Corps.

Two full dress platoons and one platoon of recruits were inspected by the commissioner and were complimented on the neatness of uniforms and smartness of appearance.

The company was then paraded

through drill under the instructions of N.C.O.'s of the Dufferin Haldimand Rifles. The salute for the march past was received by Mr. J. Fyfe Smith, who later, in addressing the members, expressed his pleasure to know that such a proficient unit was an auxiliary to the St. John Ambulance Brigade. He felt that the public did not realize just to what extent the assistance of such a well-trained voluntary organization could be in an emergency, and closed his remarks by complimenting the staff.

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Hockey Gossip

The greatest amateur left winger of his day, Harry Watson of Toronto Granites, spurned all offers to turn pro in early twenties. Now there is another Harry Watson on his way up but unlike his predecessor he already has succumbed to the lure of the money game. An 18-year-old youngster from Saskatoon, he is under contract with New York Americans. Like Harry of the Granites he, too, is a left winger.

Emil "Butch" Bouchard, who broke into professional hockey near the close of last season with Philadelphia Ramblers, may land a regular berth on Canadiens' defence. Bouchard has been paired with Tony Graboski during recent practices. Jack Portland and Ken Reardon are the other defence duo with Cliff Goupille as spare.

Ever on the lookout for new combinations, Irvin yesterday sent Murphy Chamberlain out yesterday to centre Ray Gettiffe and Bobby Walton. Walton played with Sydney Millionaires last year and before that with Kirkland Lake Blue Devils. The threesome worked well together, according to onlookers.

A year ago all talk at the New York Americans' camp centred around five new players which manager Red Dutton was grooming for N.H.L. competition. Now Dutton is bereft of all five because the players, all of military age, were unable to get passports. They are Bus Wyckley, Saskatoon; Billy Benson of Winnipeg; Norm Larson, Moose Jaw; Pete Slobodian, Regina, and goalie Charlie Raynor of Winnipeg.

To soften the blow somewhat, the redoubtable Dutton has obtained Pete Kelly, Fred Thurrier, Ken Mossell and Jimmy Peters. Kelly formerly played with De-

troit Red Wings and is a famous Maritime golfer. Thurrier was with Springfield Indians in the American League last year. Mossell and Peters were members of the smart Montreal Royals junior club last year.

U.S.-Argentine Golf Proposal

BUENOS AIRES (AP)—Talk of international team matches with the United States, goal of the Argentine golf association for nearly a decade, has revived since the arrival of Sam Snead and Jimmy Demaret.

With the Ryder Cup matches between the United States and Great Britain apparently blocked for the duration of the war, local golf officials are attempting to initiate annual eight-men-to-a-side competition between the two American nations in 1942. The big obstacle has been and still is a lack of money, but the financial prospects are brighter than ever today.

There is a "good neighbor" angle involved, too. North American businessmen who have spent years here believe their is no better way to foster good relations with Argentina than on the golf course. For this reason they are hopeful of attracting both governments' support for the team plan.

Snead and Demaret, here to compete in the national open, have drawn galleries that include cabinet members and other ranking officials. When Tony Manero came here in 1935 he played with General Augustin P. Justo, then president of the republic.

Both Snead and Demaret are conceded excellent chances in this year's national open, but will find plenty of opposition from the home pros, particularly Eduardo Blasi.

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Standard Laundry—C. Savage 472, D. Jones 584, H. Savage 652, W. Plater 725, A. Harness 571, Total 3,104.
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Total 2,422.

Hudson's Bay Co.—R. McEllan 614, G. Craig 321, S. Logie 272, H. Paulding 728, C. Nash 470, K. Cave 460, Total 2,985.
Astor Grill—B. Collins 547, A. Knowles 284, F. Hurst 506, L. Newell 550, A. Scarborough 258, C. McPhee 361, Total 2,516.
Hudson's Bay Co. won two.

Savoy Cafe—H. Anderson 725, Dunc MacCaig 655, H. Gern 676, Don McCaig 552, W. Marshall 637, Total 3,195.
Gutta Percha—B. Acres 256, F. Acres 371, A. Longley 550, K. Munn 758, A. McBride 701, G. Davies 437, Total 2,272.
Gutta Percha won two.

R.C.A.S.C. FIVEPIN LEAGUE
No. 3—Talbot 456, Carlow 508, Levert 531, Fanning 449, Gallop 350, Total 2,272.
No. 2—Brown 425, Dwyer 438, Meade 359, Stancil 359, Morrison 484, Total 2,065.
No. 3 won two.

WOMEN'S TENPIN LEAGUE
Susie Q's—Jessie Bourne 392, Mary McDonald 366, Lila Hendrickson 423, Ann Fournier 310, Mamie Worth 463, handicap 216, Total 2,189.
Spitfires—J. Barrie 456, P. Malcolm 467, N. Williams 431, B. Williams 397, low score 285, handicap 99, Total 2,135.
Susie Q's won two.

V.M.D. FIVEPIN LEAGUE
Bollermakers—G. Wilmott 450, A. Bird 225, E. Conway 550, A. MacIndewar 395, S. Frost 433, T. Wormald 346, handicap 158, Total 2,567.
Machinis—A. Crawley 538, A. Hill 378, J. James 256, J. Pope 220, C. Nairne 452, G. Heath 672, handicap 199, Total 2,713.
Machinis won two.

Crane Crew—J. Mann 302, W. Bickerton 228, K. Browne 473, K. McLaughlin 473, G. Creighton 611, K. Collard 216, Total 2,558.
Sheet Metal Workers—F. Shave 531, N. Laire 340, A. Ryder 272, H. Gibson 580, C. Lewis 456, T. Curtis 171, handicap 168, Total 2,782.
Crane Crew won two.

Foundry—D. Duncan 437, W. Boone 367, R. Marshall 249, H. Bennett 194, W. Shoultz 715, J. Hancock 419, handicap 402, Total 2,698.
Welders—J. McConacher 508, H. Cornish 547, A. Bailey 124, R. Easton 142, H. Cains 463, H. Hyndes 353, H. Torsell 290, handicap 288, Total 2,724.
Foundry won two.

WILSON & CARLUDU FIVEPIN LEAGUE
Oldsmobiles—F. Hobbay 205, L. Carpenter 444, W. R. Hobbay 213, L. Clark 217, W. Leahy 436, handicap 228, Total 2,163.
Cadillacs—George Dahl 446, Mrs. Dahl 439, J. Politano 552, B. Linskill 652, J. Simpson 455, handicap 177, Total 2,721.
Cadillacs won three.

BETTER HALVES' FIVEPIN LEAGUE
No. 1—Mrs. Chamber 452, Mrs. Hull 398, Mrs. Phillips 259, low score 167, Total 1,276.
No. 6—Mrs. Prevost 402, Mrs. Fane 317, Mrs. Fallow 453, Mrs. Sedger 167, Total 1,329.
No. 6 won two.

No. 2—Mrs. Powers 461, Mrs. Scott 308, Mrs. Riley 387, Mrs. Mann 319, Total 1,475.
No. 7—Mrs. Vivian 382, Mrs. Dobbie 193, Mrs. McLeod 378, Mrs. Dempster 235, Total 1,383.
No. 2 won two.

No. 3—Mrs. Jenkins 468, Mrs. Gleave 327, Mrs. Bethel 279, Mrs. Carter 329, Total 1,413.
No. 8—Mrs. Emery 379, Mrs. Ray 347, Mrs. Kirby 278, Miss Cummings 329, Total 1,323.
No. 3 team won two.

No. 9—Mrs. Riches 332, low score 239, Boyle 306, Winter 274, Total 1,191.
No. 4—Mrs. MacDougall 560, Mrs. Austin 407, Mrs. Hall 300, Mrs. Anderson 243, Total 1,500.
No. 4 won three.

No. 10—Mrs. Thirlwall 326, Mrs. McDowall 487, Mrs. Ritchie 364, Mrs. Jarvie 307, Total 1,494.
No. 5—Mrs. Pierson 521, Mrs. Pollard 367, Mrs. Russell 355, Mrs. Duncan 280, Total 1,523.
No. 10 won two.

The town of Windsor, N.S., was originally known as Piziquid.

Final Election Figures Compiled

As complete and nearly complete returns in the British Columbia general election were compiled today there were no changes in the standings as indicated, and barring upsets when the official counts are made in the close ridings the standings of the 20th Legislature will be as follows:

Liberals 21 seats, C.C.F. 14, Conservatives 12, and Labor one.

The last concession to be given was in Premier Pattullo's Prince Rupert seat where five remote polls required two days to report. With three of them still to come, and counting in the service vote the Premier today had 1,652 votes against 1,556 for George Weaver, his C.C.F. opponent. There was no chance that the outstanding votes would wipe out this lead.

Closest vote in the election was in Grand Forks-Greenwood riding where the complete count gave Mayor Thomas A. Love of Grand Forks, Conservative, 601 votes to 596 for Ezra Henniger, Liberal, and 334 for Alan Clapp, C.C.F. There is likelihood of application for a recount in this riding.

The service vote widened the narrow margin given Frank Putnam, Liberal, in Nelson-Creston and the complete count gave him 2,103, compared with 2,089 for his Conservative opponent, M. C. Donaldson, and 2,071 for Frank Frisby, C.C.F.

Complete returns from Kalslokan rolled up a safe margin for Public Works Minister C. S. Leary who had 880 to 705 for A. E. Jukes, his Conservative opponent, and 491 for H. E. Nelson, C.C.F.

Defeat of George M. Murray, publisher of the Bridge River-Lillooet News as Liberal member for Lillooet, was made certain when the final count showed Mr. Murray trailing both opponents. E. C. Carson, Conservative, recaptured the seat which he held from 1928 to 1933, with 978, followed by G. G. Archibald, C.C.F., with 870, and Mr. Murray with 802.

In the local ridings there was no marked change in final counts. Flying Officer E. V. Finland got 1,490 in Esquimalt to Commander C. T. Beard's 1,279, holding the seat for the Conservatives; Harry Webber, C.C.F., polled 912.

Plurality of N. W. Whittaker, K.C., Saanich Liberal and Speaker of the last House, stood at 95 in the complete vote, the figures being: Whittaker 2,950; Lieut.-Col. Macgregor Macintosh, Conservative, 2,855, and Martin Neilson, C.C.F., 2,317.

Herbert Anscomb, Oak Bay Conservative, rolled up a big over-all majority with 2,211 votes compared to 1,208 for Prof. E. S. Farr, Liberal, and 460 for Geoffrey LeGallais, C.C.F.

VICTORIA FINAL

The totals in Victoria, with three Liberals elected were: Fi-

Display of I.O.D.E. Work



War work done by the I.O.D.E. is now on display at the Hudson's Bay Company. Arranged by the Bay as a "Tribute to the Women of British Columbia," the above window display shows articles sent to Queen Elizabeth for the W.A.T.S., woollens made for the army and air force and sent to Lady Tweedsmuir, ditty-bags, quilts and woollens for bombed-out Britons, all made under the auspices of the 12 Victoria chapters. Another window shows samples of work done by the I.O.D.E. for the navy, together with some of the reading fare distributed by them to the men of the three services.

Short Shorts From Britain

LONDON (CP)—The Amateur Athletic Association in London received word from the president of the International Amateur Athletic Federation in Sweden of the acceptance of two of Sydney Wooderson's world running records.

They are 1 minute 49.2 seconds for the half mile and 1 minute 48.4 seconds for the 800 metres, both established in August, 1938. Wooderson also holds the outdoor mile record of 4 minutes 6.4 seconds.

Capt. Thomas Arundale Bourn, 39, English golf champion in 1930, and runner-up to Hon. Michael Scott in the British amateur championship in 1933, died on active service. Capt. Bourn frequently partnered the Duke of Windsor when he was Prince of Wales.

Archie Compston and Charles Whitcombe, British Ryder Cup golfers, are playing a series of matches in the provinces for the Lord Mayor of London's air raid distress fund.

R. B. Hagart, a native of Port Glasgow, Scotland, is the new president of the South African Lawn Tennis Association. Hagart, who went to South Africa 40 years ago, has been connected with Southern Transvaal tennis since 1935 and was president of that union in 1938.

W. H. Payne, Epsom race horse trainer with nearly 500 winners to his credit, has taken over most of the jumpers trained for Miss Dorothy Paget by the late Owen Anthony. Horses under his charge include Roman Hackie, winner of the Cheltenham Gold Cup last year, and Solford, winner of the champion Hurdle Challenge Cup.

Bob Everett, the jockey who won a memorable Grand National on the 100 to 1 shot Gregalach in 1929, has been awarded the D.S.O. "for skill and enterprise in the recapture of Berbera." He is a lieutenant in the navy.

Laureate, a 5 to 2 favorite, won the Australian jockey derby, a mile and a half race for three-year-olds. One of the most important events of the Australian racing season, the derby was worth about \$22,500.

Frankie Eddolls is also sporting adhesive on his eyebrow as a result of a collision with Billy Taylor, his erstwhile Oshawa buddy. Others who have been nicked on the face are Goalie Turk Broda and Nick Metz.

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'Bonanza Night' Revives Gold-rush Days of West and Brings In Money For War Work



Thrills of the Gay Nineties were recaptured Thursday night when Spencer's War Aid Volunteers staged "Bonanza Night" in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium in aid of their war work fund. Bonanza girls charged \$100 in phony money to dance with the men. Some of the costumed girls are shown above, left to right: Isabel Brown, Gladys Thomas, Isabel Cowley-Brown, Laura Stewart, Ruth Hutcheson, Elsie Holding, Sheila McAllister, Edythe Frayne and Elsie Clark. The party raised over \$600 in cold cash.



Gambling games with paper money bought at the door, kept hundreds of visitors entertained during the night. Hugh Fletcher, extreme right, and Les Freer, wearing bowler, were bankers at the roulette table where thousands of make-believe dollars exchanged hands.



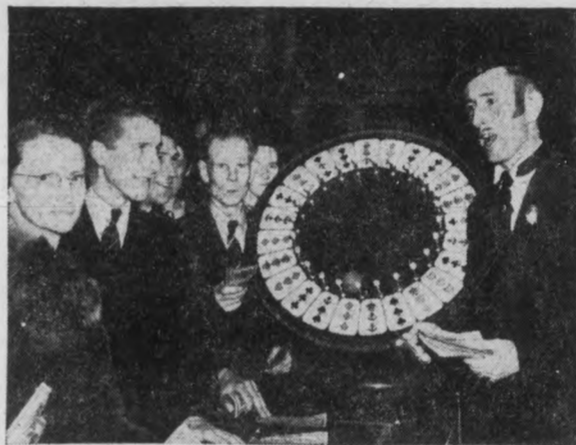
Decorations were fitting to the occasion, reminiscent of bygone days in the west. Entrance to the dance hall is shown.



An orchestra of piano and drums provided music in the "dance hall." Cecil "Paddy" Heaton is at the piano and Tom Gaunt at the drums.



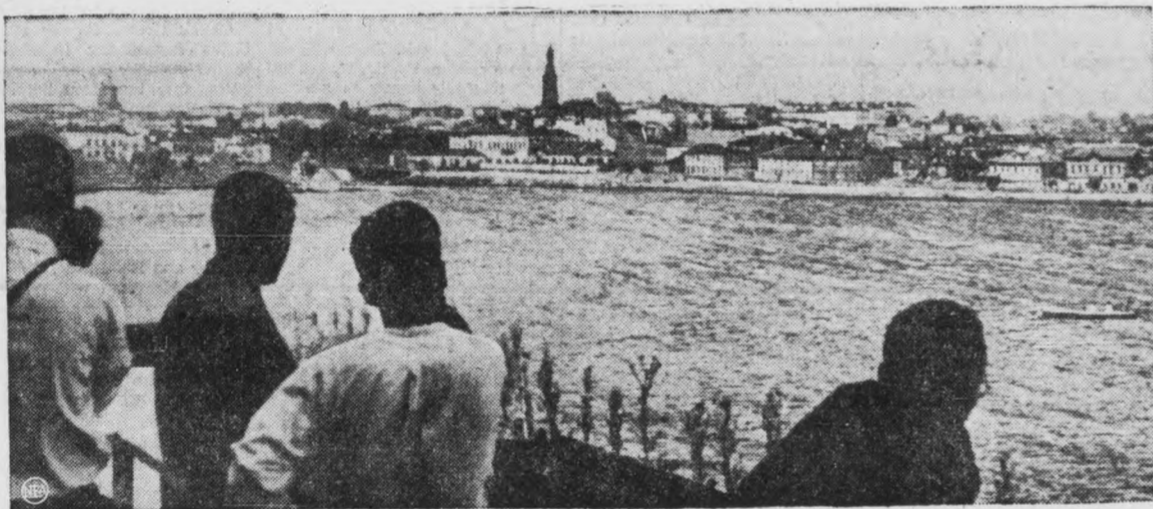
Inside the dance hall crowds stepped to the music of the two-piece band. The Bonanza girls had a busy evening.



Jim O'Connor calls for more players at his wheel game of chance.



The chuck-a-luck wheel, in charge of Jack O'Connor, was another of the popular attractions. Patrons with their phony money on the table, wait for the wheel to stop spinning.



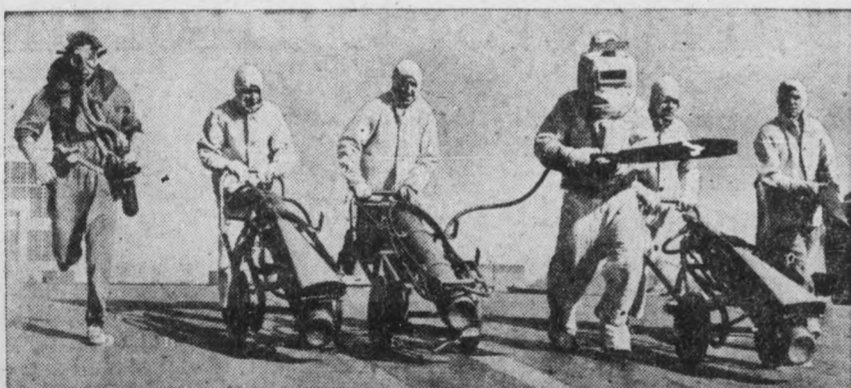
KAZAN, looking across the Volga River, this is a view of the city to which the Russians are reported moving part of their government from Moscow, now partly encircled by Germans. With a population of 400,000 Kazan is 450 miles east of Moscow.



From a bar, guests bought drinks of soda pop poured from liquor bottles. The bartender was Reg. Milburn and his two assistants, Mrs. Dora Turner, left, and Miss Irene Allen.



—Canadian Navy Photograph.
THE FOOTWORK OF SUB-LIEUT. R. E. PARE may look a little odd to the land-lubber, but it's a mighty handy climbing style when the ladder is a rope one hanging from a swaying mast. Code of the Royal Canadian Navy is that every prospective officer must learn to do well himself anything he might expect his men to do. For this reason, frequent training cruises are made to acquaint the student officers in a practical way with the duties of the ordinary sailor. Sub-Lieut. Pare attends H.M.C.S. Royal Roads.

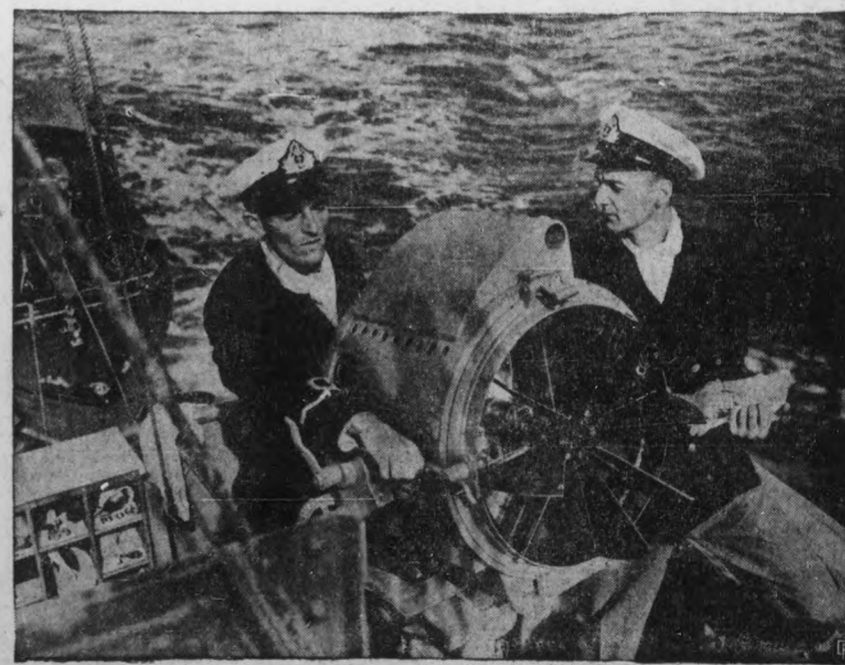


MEN ABOARD THE FURIOUS, British aircraft carrier now a-mending in Philadelphia's Navy Yard, are gay despite the vessel's foreboding name. Here some of them warm up with a fire drill in asbestos suits, top, wheeling extinguishers around the flight deck, while others take 500-pound aerial bombs out for an airing, bottom.

Cook Can't Grow on Own Meals



Cpl. Orville Demara of Bracebridge, Ont., is no advertisement at Camp Borden. The corporal cook stands four feet 11 inches and finds no trouble passing under the noses of Sgts. John Mardall (left) and George Bridle.



—Canadian Navy Photograph.
SUB-LIEUT. G. E. FENWICK of MONTREAL, acknowledges on a signal projector the receipt of a message sent to his ship. Sub-Lieut. L. F. Johnson of Ottawa, records the message. The student officers are from H.M.C.S. Royal Roads and are shown during one of the frequent cruises taken by naval students to acquaint them fully with the tasks of the men who will some day serve under them.

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

IF WE CAN read between the lines the fight business may be in for another slump. Remember just how badly the sport was until Joe Louis came along to inject new life into the game. There is what one noted boxing critic has to say about the future of the sport:

"With Joe Louis out of action, there is less interest in the beak busters than there has been since the Alabama-born Negro put the breath of life back into the dodge."

"The Nova-Louis and Jenkins Cochrane fiasco took care of that."

"And outside of Louis and Billy Conn, there are no fighters around capable of stirring up excitement."

"Louis and Conn are the only ring-master mechanics at the time. Where are the Kilbanes, Welshes, McFarlands, Leonards, Brittons and Pete Hermans?"

"The thought struck me that fighters of the moment seem to typify the times. Everybody is in such a hurry that nobody has time to learn the profession."

"And just then in pops a letter from Jersey Jones, who publicized Lou Nova."

"That was the most gruesome assignment I ever accepted," he says, adding that he hasn't yet recovered from the sight of the Californian backpedaling in front of Louis.

"Jones, who has managed and ballyhooed boxers for 20 years, also beats the drums for the New York Rangers and affiliated clubs. The Rangers train in Winnipeg, and Jersey seems just as well satisfied that hockey is obtaining anything but a smooth start because of the war and pass-

port problem. Perhaps it will help him forget Nova.

"Jones fears for the future of the sport science when Louis retires or is beaten by one of the bums who pass for heavyweights."

"(No one pays the slightest attention to the flyweights nowadays," he points out. "The bantams and feathers aren't worth a nickel. Lew Jenkins, one lightweight champion, has two left feet. He's worse than Nova. Sammy Angott, the other claimant, is nothing more than a rough cut fighter. A good boxer would cut Red Cochrane, the welter champion, to pieces. The middleweights are muddle weights. Conn is the only light-heavyweight who can fight a lick, and he no longer can afford to waste time in the division in which he belongs.")

(Jones traces this sad state of affairs to lack of schooling.

"It used to be that when a boy got to be champion, you could bet he knew his business," explains Jersey. "The boy who knew how to fight and shift and punch and defend himself. He knew how to change his style to fight different opponents."

"Now any boxer with a little natural ability is taken to the top in a short campaign. He doesn't learn the fundamentals. He doesn't stay at the top long before another youth with a little natural ability comes along and knocks him off. Then, because he has never learned the business of fighting, he becomes a punching bag for others no more skillful than himself."

"Managers now are more concerned with selling fighters to promoters and to the public than with having them taught how to fight.")

Alsab Unproven Yet

Another Man 'o War?

NEW YORK (AP)—Every couple of years along about this season the boys gather 'round the cracker barrel for a meeting of the "He's-as-great-as-Man-o-War" Cheering and Chowder Society.

And just as sure as they're convinced each time that they really have something, the object of their affections turns out to be a gee-gee that couldn't carry big Red's oak bucket.

Two years ago it was Bimelech, and a couple of years before that El Chico. Now we come to Alsab, and, without taking a thing away from the biggest bargain to hit the turf in years, it might be pointed out that Al Sabath's sensation has quite a piece of galloping to go before he can make the big fellow move over at the head of the parade.

QUITE A CHORE

A look at Man 'o War's gaudy galloping in his second racing

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Rangers Score Exhibition Win

WINNIPEG (CP)—Ten days of intensive training produced results for the National Hockey League New York Rangers here Thursday night as they punched out a 9 to 2 exhibition victory over Tulsa Oilers of the American Association.

A rookie and two regulars led the Ranger scoring parade. Rookie Norm Tustin, up from the Minneapolis Millers of the American Association, started the Rangers scoring less than a minute after Romeo Martel had given Tulsa the jump with a goal soon after the opening whistle.

Tustin got the eighth Ranger tally near the end of the last period. His two-goal effort was duplicated by Alex Shibicky and Bryan Hextall, while the other New York counters were drilled home by Ott Heller and rookies Grant Warwick of Regina and Bill Juzda of Winnipeg.

Racing Results

TANFORAN—Horse racing results here yesterday follow:

First race—Six furlongs:
Nogales (Adams) — \$9.60 \$ 5.80 \$ 4.20
Reigh Reigh (Neves) — 22.40 12.00
Radio Contest (Stranger) — 3.80
Time, 1:15 1-5. Also ran: Copper Toe, Lady Silver, Early Belle, Sweepie, Deanna, Lydia, Pride, Black Streak, La Ouma.

Second race—Six furlongs:
Vaino Retra (F. Zulu) — \$10.80 \$ 6.20 \$ 5.00
Lap Pan (Neves) — 5.20 4.00
Miss Joe Campbell — 21.60
Time, 1:15 3-5. Also ran: Eureka Girl, Happy Bolivar, Ball Baby, Seabree, Minutou, Penetrator, Clemente Mary, Archiver, Calaveras.

Third race—Mile and a sixteenth:
Doctor Jones (Corbett) — \$5.00 \$ 3.40 \$ 2.80
Winsome Belle (Grohs) — 6.00 4.60
Miss Oodoo (F. Zulu) — 3.40
Time, 1:46 3-5. Also ran: Tooty Tom, Carroll's Joy, Rain Crystal, Serajevo Miss, Shadown, Frai Boy, Pinch Conard, Red Beard, Angel Face.

Fourth race—Six furlongs:
Pearl Alma (Coastly) — \$6.20 \$ 4.00 \$ 3.00
Stem Winder (Adams) — 5.80 3.40
Time, 1:12 2-5. Also ran: Yoda, Free Exchange, Savings Bank, Memphis Lad.

Fifth race—Six furlongs:
Laf (Neves) — \$13.20 \$ 8.40 \$ 5.40
Ebay (Wellander) — 4.60 3.80
Pillure (F. Zulu) — 3.20
Time, 1:13 2-5. Also ran: Pico Pico, Magnot Line, Gray Mystery, Drift Silver, Wildbeate (Grohs) — \$16.20 \$ 5.40 \$ 3.20
Wild Oats (Longden) — 3.00 2.20
Hawthorn (F. Zulu) — 2.20
Time, 1:12 2-5. Also ran: Havana Lad, Patronymic.

Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth:
Foment (Maler) — \$12.40 \$ 8.00 \$ 4.60
Born Happy (Adams) — 5.40 4.80
Idle Along (Wahler) — 4.40
Time, 1:46 4-5. Also ran: Nancy's Beau, Scotch High, Gustavia, Watousi, Westcan, Listow.

Eighth race—Mile and a sixteenth:
Chrysis (Neves) — \$8.80 \$ 4.40 \$ 3.20
Foster (Wellander) — 5.00 3.00
Pundit (Longden) — 2.60
Time, 1:47 2-5. Also ran: Sunday Child, Kense Jack, Wood Stripe, Judicious, Deer Fly, In Rance, Lloyd Pan, Merc.

SIMON IN HOSPITAL

NEW YORK (AP)—Abe Simon, the 250-pound boxer who was beaten by Lem Franklin in Cleveland Monday night, was taken to hospital Thursday night for an appendicitis operation.

Manager Jimmy Johnston said the mammoth fighter, who last March went 13 rounds against heavyweight champion Joe Louis, had felt pains before his bout with Franklin and that a diagnosis of appendicitis was made late Thursday.

Detroit Hockey Prospects

Few Team Changes

DETROIT (CP)—Detroit Tigers reached baseball's world series in 1940 and then folded, but the experts have a seemingly sound argument to show why the same fate shouldn't befall the Red Wings who fought their way to hockey's world series a few months later.

The dopesters who follow the fortunes of both Detroit clubs will tell you that the Tigers were fading when they entered baseball's classic, whereas the Wings were just beginning to fly when they bowed to Boston Bruins in the Stanley Cup finals last fall.

Manager Jack Adams declines to make any fancy predictions other than "we may be the surprise team." The rebuilt Wings finished third in the regular National League campaign, scoring 21 victories and 11 ties in 48 starts.

"Last season was just one experiment after another," said Adams. "Now we know what our lines are going to be and just about what we can expect of our players. The squad is in great shape and with any luck at all, we could get off to our best start in years."

Genial Jack plans to carry 16 players, with one goaltender, five defencemen and 10 forwards. Later in the season he will either have to increase the roster or make a change—for on the sidelines at present is Detroit's playing coach, Ebbie Goodfellow. One of the game's all-time greats and mainstay of the Detroit defence, Ebbie, is still nursing leg injuries received last season.

MOWERS IN GOAL

When the Wings meet the Canadiens in Montreal November 1 in their first league contest, they will have the sensational Johnny Mowers in goal. Mowers just missed the Vezina trophy for goalies and the Calder rookie award last season and much is

Hand Nearly a Foot



It measures 11 1/4 inches from the tip of the thumb to the tip of the little finger and it is attached to Bill Henderson, fabulous six-foot four-inch, 205-pound all-round athlete and end of Texas A. and M. football team. It goes without saying that with mitts like this, Jitterbug Henderson is a superlative pass snatcher.

Table Tennis Tourney

Upsets Mark Play

Second night's play in the club championships of the Victoria Table Tennis Association at the Crystal Garden produced some surprising results. Biggest upset was seen in the women's singles when Ruth Payne, top-seeded entry and current western Canada champion, was toppled by her 25-year-old sister, Joy

Payne, in four sets, 21-18, 21-13, 24-26, 21-18.

Veterans' singles produced another major upset when J. Perkins eliminated Tommy Chattell in four sets, 21-19, 17-21, 21-18, 22-20. Chattell has been a finalist in veterans' singles for the last four years and was B.C. champion a few seasons back.

In the men's open singles George Lows and Bill Cotton gained semifinal berths. The former, one of the clever Chinese stars, defeated his fellow countryman, D. Sam, in straight sets, 21-8, 21-11, 21-11, while Cotton turned back F. Wildmore, R.A.F. star, in three sets, 21-10, 22-20, 21-9.

Play continues tonight with

all finals slated tomorrow evening.

Results follow:

MEN'S SINGLES
Second Round
G. Lowe defeated D. Sam, 21-8, 21-11, 21-11.
W. Cotton defeated F. Wildmore (R.A.F.), 21-10, 22-20, 21-9.
Lowe and Cotton are now in the quarterfinals.

LADIES' SINGLES
Semifinals
Miss B. MacKay defeated Mrs. P. Greenwood, 19-21, 21-17, 21-14, 21-12.
Miss J. Payne defeated Miss R. Payne, 21-18, 21-13, 24-26, 21-18.

JUNIOR SINGLES
First Round
W. Tuthill defeated P. Satterfield, 21-19, 21-11, 21-18.
T. Taylor defeated E. Young by default.

Don Elworthy defeated G. Elworthy, 21-17, 21-15, 17-21, 21-12, 21-7.
W. Tuthill defeated E. Hodder, 21-16, 14-21, 21-9, 21-23, 21-19.
J. Taylor defeated A. St. Louis, 17-21, 21-16, 24-22, 21-29.

VETERANS' SINGLES
First Round
J. Perkins defeated T. Chattell, 21-19, 17-21, 21-18, 22-20.

JUNIOR DOUBLES
First Round
T. Taylor and P. Satterfield defeated D. Southern and R. Dow, 31-12, 5-21, 21-8, 21-17, 21-12, 21-29.

Second Round
D. Elworthy and G. Elworthy defeated T. Taylor and P. Satterfield, 21-12, 21-13, 21-12.
Hodder and Tuthill defeated Kirchner and Morris, 21-19, 21-20, 22-20.

MIXED DOUBLES
Second Round
Miss R. Payne and W. Cotton defeated Miss J. Payne and F. Wildmore, 21-12, 21-17, 21-12.

HANDICAP SINGLES
W. Payne defeated Ada Tully, 10-21, 21-11, 21-13.
G. Clark defeated J. Garratt, 22-20, 17-21, 21-19.

W. Prior defeated A. Downham, 21-15, 21-16.
D. Hawkes defeated W. Prior, 21-13, 19-21, 22-20.
W. Payne defeated S. MacKenzie, 21-18, 21-12.

D. Sam defeated F. Wildmore, 22-20, 15-21, 21-17.
G. Lowe defeated G. Elworthy, 21-17, 21-11.
J. Kirchner defeated R. Payne, 21-19, 20-28.

Tuthill defeated P. Greenwood, 21-15, 21-18.
J. Payne defeated G. Clark, 21-16, 21-10.
Tuthill defeated J. Payne, 21-19, 18-21, 21-17.

TONIGHT'S DRAW
7:00—Miss K. Elton and Miss J. Payne vs. Miss B. MacKay and Mrs. P. Greenwood.
J. Kirchner vs. G. Lowe, D. Sam vs. D. Hawkes, T. Taylor vs. W. MacGregor, W. Robinson vs. Vic Tully, E. Abbott vs. P. Lou Foy, Greensmith and Fraser vs. E. Seod and A. Seod.

8:30—Miss B. MacKay and Vic Tully vs. Miss W. Payne and A. Seod, Mrs. A. Tully and R. Dawson vs. Mrs. P. Greenwood and W. Brown-Cave.
8:00—Hodder vs. G. Clark, W. MacGregor vs. J. Perkins, W. Cotton vs. W. Prior.

8:30—Semifinals junior singles, semifinals veterans' singles, semifinals men's doubles, final junior doubles, quarterfinals men's singles.
9:00—Semifinals handicap singles.

Alerts Boxla Team Holds Annual Dinner
Members of the Alert Service lacrosse team, wives and girlfriends met in Terry's last night at the club's annual post-season banquet. R. M. (Rich) Williams, team sponsor, was in the chair.

Williams spoke briefly after the dinner, reviewing the past season of the team, expressing confidence that the Alerts would give a better account of themselves in next year's play.

Harry Sargison, coach of the team, said that it was his intention to retire from the sport next year. He wished the players best of luck in future seasons, saying that he had enjoyed the companionship and good will which the team had always shown.

Don Smith, trainer, said he had always enjoyed working with the team and hoped to carry on in future seasons.

Carl Overhick, team captain, thanked the club officials for what they had done for the team, and said the players would be on hand for action next year.

Coast League Soccer Opens Here Tomorrow

46 Horses Come West With Jones

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP)—

Trainer Ben Jones is moving out of the blue grass toward California with what probably is the biggest shipment of horses ever sent off to the racing wars by one stable.

Headed by Whirlaway and the two-year-old stars, Sun Again and Some Chance, Ben has a string of 46 thoroughbreds with which he hopes to mop up at Santa Anita this winter, from the \$100,000 handicap down.

It took six railroad cars to accommodate the Warren Wright stable. Two carloads pulled out Wednesday, two started off Thursday and the final two, in which Whirlaway and Some Chance will have stateroom accommodations and personal porter service, will check out Saturday. Ben figures he will need about 193 tons of hay, 1,800 bushels and 320 tons of straw to take care of the animals.

CUDGEL, FAMOUS RACEHORSE, DEAD

VERCHERES, Que. (CP)—

Cudgel, 27-year-old racehorse which was one of the most-talked-of names in Canadian and American racing circles two decades ago, is dead.

The famed horse died in retirement at the Russell Y. Graul stables at this small Quebec village, 23 miles northeast of Montreal.

The horse was introduced to Canada when it was bought by J. K. L. Ross, Montreal, as a three-year-old for \$31,000. For two years, during which Cudgel was at his prime as a three and a four-year-old, the Ross string headed the list of greatest money-winners of America. Cudgel contributed considerably to that success.

He won, in purses and stake races, a total of \$68,954.

When his racing days were over, Cudgel was placed in stud, and since then his offspring have netted for their owners more than \$1,000,000.

JOE DIMAGGIO FATHER

NEW YORK (AP)—Mrs. Joe Dimaggio, wife of the New York Yankees baseball outfield star, gave birth to a son in Doctors Hospital Thursday.

The conditions of mother and child were reported favorable.

SERVICES SOCCER

Saturday afternoon at 2:30 will see the meeting of a composite Army team and a strong R.C.A.F. eleven in what promises to be one of the best inter-service soccer matches of the season. The contest will be played at Bullen Park.

Both teams are highly touted and contain stars who played for top flight civilian teams before the war.

Canadian Grid Clash Tomorrow

The Blue Devils team is not changing its color—but it is changing its style of play.

The powerful Canadian football players, according to word from their training camp, are easing up on their rugged line plays in favor of aerial offensive tactics.

Provided the Blue Devils perfect this phase of the game they will qualify for the title of "triple threat team," as they have already proved themselves masters as buckers and kickers.



BILL DUNNAWAY
Blue Devils' halfback

Fans who gather Saturday at 2:30 at Macdonald Park will see the new Blue Devils squad uncoil all their power in a drive they hope will take them over the Saanich Warriors and up to the top of the Victoria Canadian Rugby Football League.

With a heavy line to protect their passes, the Oak Bay boys stand a good chance to build a formidable aerial attack.

The speedy, shifty Saanich Warriors, too, will be throwing passes everywhere, and their backfield will show off their ability on end runs.

Accordingly fans can expect plenty of excitement Saturday.

Radials have called on their strongest line-up for the game.

Chuck Greer, former star of New Westminster Royals, has been signed by Radials and will accompany the team here.

The Vancouver line-up includes: Goal, Don Marshall; fullbacks, Jim Lawrie, Tom McKibbin; halfbacks, Gordon Dickson, Eric Camp, Don Cowan; forwards, Chuck Greer, Johnny Mackay, Laurie Pallot, Hugh Greer, Reg Liptrout. Spares, Lloyd Reid, Bob Hunter and Bill Leslie.

Dave McMillan will referee.

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Overnight Entries For Laurel Park

First race—Six furlongs: Southern June 104, Irish Moon 112, Clingdale 111, Bitter 116, Port Wales 115, Ewanok 112, Shaw Motion 111, Hand 104, Sun Triad 111, Yale o'Nine 113, Hardy Bud 104, Zenana 101.

Second race—Mile and an eighth: Id Memory 111, Old Story 106, Fortissimo 108, Brilliant One 106, Purple Dawn 103, Duchess Del 110, Groscher's Boy 111, Odenathus 111, Runby 111, Land Route 108, Two Py 111, Miss Selection 103, Yankee Lad 111, Elamp 108, Dizzy B. 113, Cosse 112.

Third race—Six furlongs: Incoming 111, Belamowite 102, Esperto 108, Dene Path 105, Pony Ballet 112, Tom Luta 115, Ben Shaba 120.

Fourth race—Mile and a quarter: Big Lady 114, Whimble 114, Horn 111, Folly 122, Equipt 114, Last Sou 114, She Past 114, Romping Home 115, Pickle Bush 107, Star Copy 114, Vagrancy 114, Hard Baked 114.

Fifth race—Mile and a quarter: Big Pebble 126, Pictos 119, Rosewood 110, Ringie 112, Saguenay 110, Sir Alfred 110, Bushwacker 108, Shot Put 120, Shine o'Nine 111.

Sixth race—Six furlongs: Tolson Trust 106, Overdraw 112, Clyde Tolson 120, Abrasion 112, My Bill 110, Red Wrack 104, Westnesia 112.

Seventh race—Mile and a half: Allen

Public Thanked By Members of Naden

Capt. W. B. L. Holms, commanding officer of H.M.C.S. Naden, today expressed on behalf of all members of the ship's company at the Naval Barracks, Esquimalt, the appreciation of the courteous and pleasant manner and the interest shown by some 4,000 guests at the Naval Barracks on visitors' day last Wednesday.

"We are grateful for the understanding co-operation of the very large numbers of people in the matter of providing guides and parking accommodation, and for their courtesy and consideration while touring the barracks," the commanding officer stated.

"The genuine and intelligent interest displayed by all made the afternoon a very pleasant one for us. We regret that the intensity of the training program did not permit us to open the barracks for a longer period than two hours."

First song-service of the season for servicemen and young people will be held in the members' lounge of the Y.M.C.A. Sunday evening at 9. The Metropolitan Y.P.U. will be in charge.

Cald 109, Busy Fingers 103, Bred in Blue 109, Stirling 108, Merne 108, Solutum 109, Valinda Leo 106, Connie Plant 108, Bright Sonia 103, Hot Man 106, Crisis 111

Groups Start Chest Drive

Canvassers in the industrial and commercial division of the Community Chest campaign swung into action today following a dinner rally in Spencer's dining-room Thursday.

They were joined later today by those covering the public services and raised to three the number of groups in the field. Already working are members of the special names section.

Under the chairmanship of C. S. Henley, the group Thursday night saw inspiring moving pictures of Canada's war effort, soldiers, sailors, airmen, workers building planes and guns, men harvesting crops to keep the forces going.

In his introduction Mr. Henley noted the pictures were being shown to bring home to citizens the fact that those nearest and dearest to the men in the Canadian forces were in Canada and needed the continual assistance of the welfare agencies working here to help them with their problems. To maintain those agencies, funds were needed by the Community Chest, and on the canvassers and those who supported the drive responsibility for collecting the finances rested.

It was urgent that the welfare services were kept at full strength to ensure a maximum war effort, he said.

Frank Paulding, outlining the technical features of the campaign, noted 592 districts in North America had raised \$90,426,000 this year for Community Chests. He saw in that a proof the chest policy was here to stay and was the most scientific method of collecting finances for required social service work. He remarked it eliminated 22 individual appeals in Victoria, where approximately 700 workers were assisting in the campaign.

Reports were also given by W. P. D. Pemberton and J. H. Wilson, chairman and vice-chairman of the campaign.

Arthur N. Dakin was fined \$30 and his driver's license suspended three months when he pleaded guilty in City Police Court today to a charge of dangerous driving October 21. The charge arose from an accident on Yates Street between Blanshard and Douglas Streets.

TOWN TOPICS

Victoria Choral and Orchestral Union will hold a rehearsal this evening in Memorial Hall at 8.30.

A permit for a \$3,700 five-room home at 1080 Moss Street, was issued by the city building inspector's department today.

Canadian Pensioners' Association will hold its monthly general meeting this evening at 7.30. All members are requested to attend.

In Saanich Police Court Thursday one motorist was fined \$10 for speeding, another \$5 for not having a tail-light on his car, and a boy was fined \$1 for riding on the bar of a bicycle.

Eight motorists each paid \$2.50 fines in City Police Court today for parking violations. Two were fined \$10 each for speeding through school zones and one was fined \$5 for not having a driver's license.

A request from the Port Alberni City Council for support for its resolution urging reservation of Cathedral Grove for park purposes to preserve the giant trees there, will come before the City Council here Monday afternoon at 3.

The appeal of Nellie Anderson against police court conviction and a \$300 fine on a charge of having liquor for sale was hung up on a technical point early today. The hearing, in County Court, was delayed while Joseph McKenna, appearing for the appellant, sought authorities to overcome objection by C. L. Harrison to the manner in which the notice of appeal had been served. The case was scheduled to continue this afternoon.

Soldier Injured In Highway Crash

In Esquimalt Military Hospital today suffering from head injuries received in a car crash on the Island Highway at Craigflower, Thursday evening, Private Harry DiCastri, 60th Battery, R.C.A., Fort Macaulay, was reported to be resting comfortably. Constable Pete Kelsberg of the B.C. Police said a car driven by DiCastri and a truck loaded with cordwood driven by Johnny Wong, 515 Cormorant Street, side-swiped on a curve on the highway.

The accident occurred at about 6.30 and DiCastri's car was almost completely wrecked. A passenger in the car, Ruth Baldwin, Obed Avenue, escaped injury although she suffered from severe shock.

A Quarter Cab Company taxi was damaged Thursday when struck by a hit-and-run car at Gorge and Harriet Roads, James Ross, driver of the cab, reported to police.

Ross said the unknown car, coming from Harriet Road, ran into the rear of the taxi, which was going east on Gorge Road. The impact caused the taxi to swerve into a telephone pole. About \$100 worth of damage was done to the machine.

Motorman Thomas English of the B.C. Electric Railway Company Ltd. reported to police also a hit-and-run car struck a street car near Rock Bay Avenue, Thursday evening. He believed the unknown car was damaged in the collision.

2 Outdoor, 4 Indoor Hallowe'en Parties

Two outdoor bonfires only will be staged under joint civic and P.T.A. auspices this Hallowe'en, it was announced at the City Hall today. In four other localities entertainments will be held in school auditoriums.

The fires will be located at Brooke and St. Charles Streets and at Oaklands, with entertainment starting at 7 in each case.

Indoor functions will be held at Quadra, Burnside, Victoria West and South Park, starting at 7.30. Entertainment will be provided by gym teams, including both boys and girls from the Pro Recs and from a small troupe of traveling musicians, who will lead and play for community singing in addition to presenting group and solo numbers.

Try Smith, Grey On Second Count

Trial of Harold Ronald Smith and Albert Grey on a charge of unlawfully retaining groceries and cigarettes alleged stolen from Hillside Pure Foods Ltd., opened in Assize Court here today after a jury late Thursday had failed to reach a verdict on a previous charge involving rope and fishing tackle.

The jury sworn for the trial on the first count was discharged and another was selected today for the second. Retrial of the first will follow.

An entertainment for men in uniform will be given by Christ Church A.Y.P.A. Sunday evening in the Memorial Hall.

City Council Changes Due

The alternative of new blood or the return of old campaigners not now serving to the City Council for 1942 was in civic quarters today as observers weighed talk of sifting aldermen vacating their seats to contest the mayoralty and noted Alderman R. A. C. Dewar and most probably Alderman S. H. Okell would be retiring from the lists.

Alderman Dewar has already announced his withdrawal from the field. Alderman Okell, who is completing his third two-year term, may retire owing to the transfer of District Depot No. 11 to Vancouver and to the pressing emergencies of his wartime activity. He was elected first to serve in 1936-37, returning at the head of the polls for the 1938 and 1939 term and finishing second to Alderman B. J. Gadsden in December of the latter year when he stood for the term ending in December. During his period on the council he has been most closely identified with parks work, but served on virtually all other committees.

Three other aldermen must stand this December if they wish to remain in office. They are W. H. Davies, B. J. Gadsden and Ed. Williams. Usual pre-election gossip finds the names of both Aldermen Williams and Gadsden mentioned as potential mayoralty candidates.

Apart from City Council remarks, in which he has referred to various issues on which he plans to go to the people in December, Mayor Andrew McGavin has made no announcement. Should he again stand, he would be striving for a record unique in civic history. No other mayor has been given six consecutive terms and the late David Leeming is the only other who was given five years in a row.

In the school lists four terms expire at the end of the year. Board chairman F. G. Mulliner together with Trustees, W. A. Bayliss, J. S. McMillan and F. A. Willis must stand again if they wish to continue.

There was also talk in the educational field of the retirement of Trustee Major R. H. Green whose military duties are assuming increasing importance. While candidates were relatively slow in coming forward, election preparations went ahead at the City Hall with registration of voters. Those entitled to the vote who are not automatically registered have until October 31 at 5 to have their names placed on the list.

Nominations will be accepted for council and school board posts up to 2 on the afternoon of December 4 and the elections will take place in the Market Building the following Thursday, December 11.

MAY HAVE TO WAIT FOR TAX REBATES

Wage earners of British Columbia are entitled to cheques from the provincial government, rebating the 1 per cent wage tax deductions for this year, under terms of the income tax deal with Ottawa, but today's political situation threatens to hold up these rebates.

Treasury officials had been hoping they could get the cheques out for Christmas, but until authority is granted by the new Legislature this cannot be done. The treasury stopped collecting the 1 per cent tax on June 30 and wage-earners will get rebates of the amounts they paid from January 1 till that date. However, this is dependent on the deal with Ottawa being ratified so that the province gets in return a fixed grant equal to the revenue it received from income and corporation taxes last year, roughly \$12,600,000.

Also involved are the regular provincial income and corporation taxes which in the normal way would be due next spring, but which will be eliminated by the tax deal. Until the deal is ratified by the House, however, the treasury has no proper authority to stop collection.

Reference was made to this in Premier Pattullo's statement today.

Return of Tankers To Have No Effect

Return by Great Britain of 40 oil tankers borrowed from the United States will have no effect on the petroleum situation in Canada, Oil Controller George Cottrell said here.

"I don't think it will make any difference," Mr. Cottrell said. "The tankers won't come out of the combat zone—they'll come out of the shuttle service. It was always understood that some of the tankers would be taken out of that service when the opportunity arose."

OBITUARY

HANCOCK—Funeral of John Hancock will be held from Haywards tomorrow at 2, Rev. T. H. McAllister officiating. Burial at Colwood.

HOLMES—Funeral of Mrs. Florence Clarissa Holmes will be held at Haywards tomorrow at 3.30. Interment at Colwood. Rev. J. R. Fife will officiate.

SOMMERVILLE—Rev. A. S. Lord conducted last rites for Miss Helen Elizabeth Somerville Thursday at the Sands Mortuary Chapel. Interment was at Ross Bay, pallbearers being: J. Eastock, Joe Lismore, Frank Cook, George Boulton, William Jenkins and E. Wilcox.

DONALD—John Albert Donald, 69, died this morning in Jubilee Hospital. He was born in Carleton Place, Ontario, and had resided in Victoria five years. He leaves a widow at the family residence, 266 Beach Drive. Funeral Monday at 2 at Sands Mortuary, followed by burial at Royal Oak.

FENNELL—Requiem mass for the repose of the soul of Miss Annie Pauline Fennell, 21, was sung in the chapel of St. Ann's Academy this morning by Rev. Msgr. Chaloner of Vancouver, an old friend of Miss Fennell's family. Interment in Ross Bay. Miss Fennell died at St. Joseph's Hospital Wednesday. She was born in Rathkeale, County Limerick, Ireland, and came to Victoria three years ago. She leaves a sister in England and her grandmother in Ireland.

RANGER—At Mount St. Mary's Hospital there passed away Wednesday William Ranger, 73, born in Granville, Quebec. He had resided in this city four months and in the province 35 years. He is survived by one brother, Louis Alexander, 20 Rowland Avenue, Saanich. The remains are resting at McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel, where prayers will be offered this evening at 8.15. Mass will be celebrated in St. Andrew's Cathedral Friday morning at 8. Interment following at Ross Bay.

CHILD PROBLEMS AT P.T.A. CONFERENCE

"Children, Our Responsibility," will be the theme of the 11th annual Parent-Teacher conference to be held at the Empress Hotel Monday from 10 to 4 p.m. Mrs. J. S. Stewart, president of the Washington Congress of Parents and Teachers, will preside.

Mrs. C. E. Franklin, treasurer of the Washington Congress, will lead a round-table discussion on the subject of "Health: Physical, Moral, Mental and Spiritual." Others taking part will be: Mrs. C. W. Beardsley, Tacoma, and Miss Barbara Hinton, assistant mistress in charge of health and physical education at the Provincial Normal School, Victoria, and Mrs. Dale Marble, Seattle.

At the luncheon at the Empress Hotel, from 12 to 1.30, Mrs. J. S. Stewart will preside. Rev. A. E. Whitehouse will speak on "The Child, Our Responsibility." The afternoon session will be taken up with a panel discussion on the subject: "Responsibilities of the Home, School, Church and Community." Mrs. Sidney Livingston, Pasco, Wash., is the leader, and taking part will be Mrs. E. A. Dalmage, Vancouver; Mrs. M. D. Kennedy, Seattle; Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, Victoria, and Mrs. Clay C. Pratt, Tacoma.

Reservations for the luncheon Monday may be made by telephoning Mrs. W. Blair, G6503. Anyone interested will be welcomed.

More Car Thefts

Two cars were reported stolen in the city overnight, one of which was found by city police near the place from which it was reported taken.

The car found was owned by Eddy Mallek, 720 Linden Avenue. It was reported stolen from outside 720 Linden Avenue at 7.45 Thursday evening and was found nearby at 11.20.

A Blue Line Taxi Company car stolen from Yates Street early today had not been recovered at a late hour this morning.

A third car stolen from the Forestry Branch garage Wednesday night was found Thursday afternoon in a damaged condition at Fairfield and Irving Roads. The car had smashed into a telephone pole. It had been stolen when the garage was broken into. Owner of the car was W. Spouse, 915 Bank Street.

City police are investigating thefts of tubes from radios in the Salvation Army Canteen, Broad Street, and the Y.M.C.A. lounge. Two radios in the Salvation Army Canteen were stripped of five and seven tubes, it was reported to police yesterday, and five tubes were taken from a radio at the "Y" last week.

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Reeve and Mrs. Lockley were invited and Mrs. Lockley was asked to christen the vessel, but they found it impossible to make the trip and suggested to the Department of National Defence that Miss Mayhew, who is attending school in the east, preside at the ceremony.

Annual supper of the United Empire Loyalists will be held at Spencer's dining-room, November 14. At a meeting Thursday, the executive voted \$25 to the Queen's Canadian Fund for air-raid victims.

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The giant passenger liner and more than a dozen other French vessels stranded by the war in United States ports were taken under protective custody by the coastguard last May 15.

The News said U.S. naval technicians had discovered French engineers apparently built the Normandie so she could be easily converted into a plane carrier by cutting down her three funnels.

The change-over could be completed by naval workers in six months, the paper added, 18 months less than would be required to build a new aircraft carrier, of which the United States now has seven in service. The action awaits only the government's decision to requisition French ships here, the News said.

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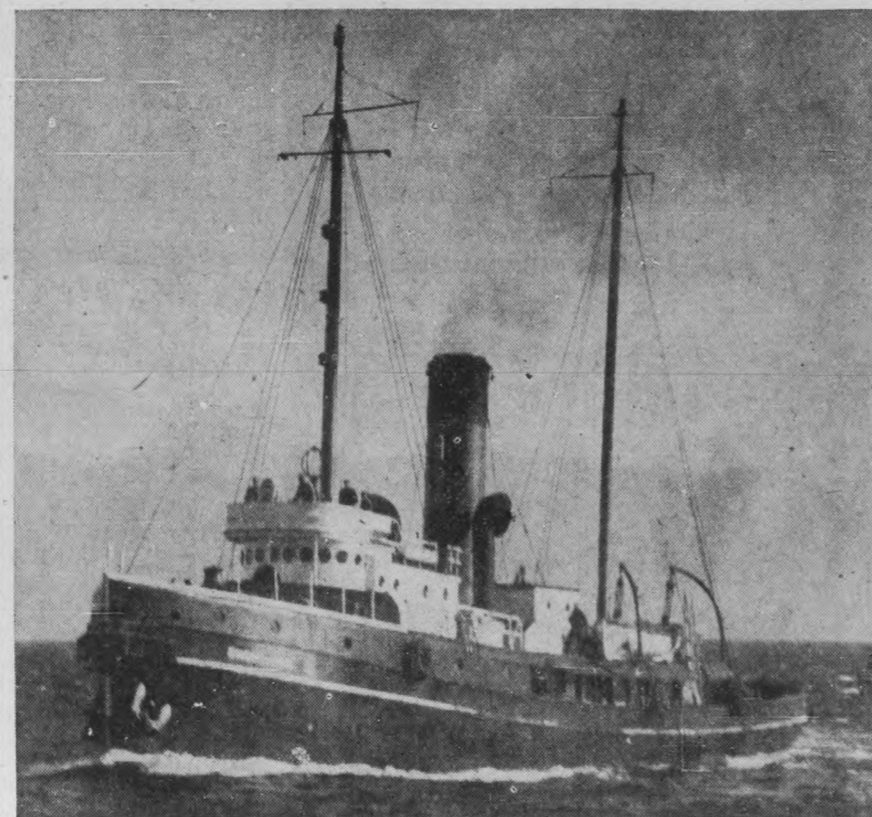
SHANGHAI (AP)—The United States Navy has issued orders to at least two American passenger steamships, including the President Taylor, to avoid the Japanese-controlled port on current voyages in the Orient, informed sources said tonight.

They said it is apparent the United States is taking no chances of any sudden Japanese naval action in the present crisis.

Soviet Ships Moving

NEW YORK (AP)—Two freighters—7,363-ton Dekabrist and the 3,771-ton Pretrovskii—docked in Brooklyn yesterday—the first Soviet ships to reach this port since the outbreak of the Soviet-German war. They arrived in ballast from Vladivostok via Seattle.

Salvage Operations Under Way



Patching of the hole in the side of the powerful tug Snohomish (above) is proceeding today at Skipjack Island and expectations are the vessel will be floated by Saturday. Snohomish, famous as a U.S. coastguard cutter and long-distance towboat, was holed and sunk in Wednesday night's fog off East Point, Saturna Island, when the Standard Oil Company's Barge No. 95, which she was towing, bumped into her. Salvage is being carried on by Skookum No. 2 and other floating equipment of the Pacific Salvage Company in charge of Supt. W. B. Jordan of Victoria. Today the Snohomish was lying on her side on the reef, the steel hull being well out of the water at low tide. At high tide she is almost wholly submerged.

Iroquois Launched

OTTAWA (CP)—Launching in the United Kingdom of the first of six Tribal class destroyers projected for the Royal Canadian Navy lent emphasis to the unprecedented expansion of Canada's naval force which already has won high praise for its vital war role.

Rear-Admiral Percy Nelles, chief of the Canadian naval staff, saw the launching of this vessel as "another step in the building up of a powerful and well-balanced navy."

In a statement to the Canadian Press, Admiral Nelles said: "The launching in Great Britain of Tribal class destroyers for the Royal Canadian Navy and the further construction of other ships of this type is another step in the building up of a powerful

and well-balanced navy.

"The ships are comparable in fighting power to some light cruisers now in service and will provide a striking force in the ever-widening areas in which the Canadian Navy escorts and patrols."

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The latest vessel for the Canadian Navy, launched "somewhere in Britain" by Mrs. Vincent Massey, wife of the Canadian High Commissioner to the United Kingdom, will be the 14th unit in the Dominion's destroyer force.

The Tribal class destroyers—so-called because they are named after various native tribes in the Empire—are of greater size and armament than existing destroyers of the Canadian Navy.

In selecting a name for this vessel authorities followed the Canadian practice of naming destroyers after rivers and at the same time chose a name which identifies the vessel's class. The name Iroquois is not only for the proud and fierce-fighting Indian race of eastern Canada but also for the river of that name in northern Ontario.

The Iroquois is one of two Tribal class destroyers now being laid down for Canada in Britain. Two more are to follow and two more will be built in the Dominion in Canada's first venture into construction of naval vessels of this size.

When completed they will bring the Dominion's destroyer force to 19 together with numerous Canadian-built corvettes, minesweepers and anti-submarine boats.

PERSONNEL OF 25,000

The start of the second Great War found Canada with six destroyers, four minesweepers, a few other vessels such as the auxiliary schooner Venture, naval personnel of 1,774 ranks and ratings, and an additional 1,000 volunteer reservists. Latest figures show some 250 vessels commissioned with a personnel of 25,000 and several hundred others assigned to duty with the Royal Navy.

The six destroyers forming the backbone of Canada's 1939 navy were the St. Laurent, Fraser, Restigouche, Ottawa, Saguenay and Skeena. Shortly after the outbreak of the war the Royal Navy turned over to Canada the superdestroyer Kempenfelt, renamed Assiniboine.

During 1940 the Canadian Navy lost through collision the destroyers Fraser and Margaree and acquired six overage United States destroyers. They were renamed the Annapolis, Columbia, Niagara, St. Clair, St. Croix and Francis and last January a seventh American destroyer, the Kootenay which later was renamed the Hamilton, served as a replacement for the Margaree and brought destroyer strength to 13.

Launching of the Iroquois in Britain coincided with Navy Week in Canada, sponsored by the Navy League and marking R.C.N. war successes to date.

NAVY'S EXPLOITS

Several of the navy's exploits have been outstanding. Others, in all probability just as outstanding, remain undisclosed for security reasons. Those made known include, for instance, the part H.M.C.S. Assiniboine played in the capture in southern waters of the German freighter Hamm-Over.

Then there was the overtaking by the minesweeper Bras d'Or, since lost in a storm, of the Italian vessel Capo Noli as she sought to flee Canadian waters when Italy entered the war, and the capture of the Nazi express cargo boat Weser by the Canadian armed auxiliary cruiser Prince Robert in south Pacific waters.

Less has been said about the achievements of H.M.C.S. Prince Henry, sister ship of the Prince Robert. Not so long ago the Prince Henry lay out to sea off South America, a unit in the Empire's sea blockade. Two Nazi ships came out to run for home and fell in with the Prince Henry's guns. They went to the bottom, blazing from stem to stern after their crews had set them afire. The Canadian vessel resumed her blockade patrol.

That is all that so far is being said officially of the action. But the navy adds this: "The full tale awaits release; it is a story of seamanship and decisive action."

Sucked Down By Swirl

KETCHIKAN (AP)—Survivors of the floating cannery ship Tondeleyto told on arrival here how their captain, Arthur V. Nelson, escaped death in icy northern waters after the grounded ship slipped off a rock and "turned turtle."

A cook named Cooper, who boarded the southbound fishing vessel at Cordova, perished. Seven others escaped.

Nelson and Cooper were the only men aboard when the ship suddenly capsized with its \$50,000 load of canned salmon and sank in 60 fathoms of water.

Nelson said he was sucked down in the swirl, but after swimming in the icy water for more than an hour and a half he reached shore, exhausted.

The boat struck a rock 40 miles north of Ketchikan. Just before dawn it slipped off, floated a few minutes and then turned over.

Bombed in Red Sea

HONOLULU (AP)—A quarter-master of a United States ship which carried supplies to Britain's Middle East armies said today that freighters flying the United States flag had been repeatedly bombed, fiercely and deliberately, in the Red Sea by German and Italian planes.

"The only thing that saved our lives," said John Stone of Brooklyn, N.Y., "was that the Nazis didn't seem able to hit a bull with a bass fiddle."

Stone told interviewers seven or more American merchantmen were in Suez harbor during a terrific raid which damaged the Iberville and the west Zita. The following week German planes sowed the harbor with mines which tore holes in the American

New York Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)—Bidding for steels, oils and specialties today gave a further recovery tinge to the stock market. Top advances were reduced in some cases at the close.

International Mercantile Marine posted a new high for the year as the company's earnings estimates were revised upward.

Others in front of the greater part of the day included U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, General Motors, United Aircraft, Johns-Manville, American Airlines, Westinghouse, Dupont, Eastman Kodak, International Harvester, Atlantic Coast Line and Great Northern.

Canadian stocks were higher. Hiram Walker gained $\frac{1}{2}$, Distillers Seagram $\frac{1}{4}$, Lake Shore Mines $\frac{1}{2}$, while Dome Mines was off $\frac{1}{4}$. In the bond market Canada 4s were $\frac{1}{2}$ point lower.

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Dow Jones closing averages:
30 industrials—120.13, up .03
20 rails—28.29, up .10
20 utilities—17.45, off .05
Total sales, 620,000.

Closing Bid.	Asked
Allied Chemicals	151.4
American Can	69.1
American Tobacco	38.8
American Tel. and Tel.	125.4
Anacosta Copper	26.4
Atchafalaya	2.7
B. and O. Railway	14.5
Baldwin Locomotive	4.5
Bendix Aviation	63.6
Bethlehem Steel	20.7
Boring Aircraft	20.5
Borg Warner	20.6
Canadian Pacific Railway	4.5
Cerro de Pasco	36.6
C. and O. Railway	36.4
Chrysler	56.7
Con. Edison	37.3
Cont. Can.	37.5
Curtis Wright	8.6
Douglas Aircraft	147.4
Dupont	74.7
Eastman Kodak	136
Freight Texas	12.6
General Foods	40.7
General Motors	124.4
General Electric	28.7
Grain Processing	41
Granby Copper	4.1
Great West Sugar	22.3
Goodyear Tire	7.2
Great Northern	25
How Sound	50.2
Inter. Harvester	2.3
Inter. T. and T.	2.3
Kennecott Copper	33.3
Montgomery Ward	31.5
Noah Keweenaw	4.1
New York Central	11
Pennsylvania Railway	44.6
Phillips 66	24.4
Pullman	18.1
Republic Steel	23.1
Reynolds Tobacco	23.1
Safeway Stores	41.6
Standard Oil New Jersey	41.6
Stearns Electric	68.8
Stearns Roebuck	12.1
Studebaker	5.2
Texas Corp.	34.3
Texaco Gulf	72.7
Union Carbide	14.7
Union Pacific	74.4
United Aircraft	37.2
U. S. Rubber	37.2
U. S. Steel	53.6
Western Union	29.7
Westinghouse Electric	29.7
Woolworth	30.8
Yale & Cab	13.5
U. S. Gas and Improvement	6.8
U. S. Smelting	54.4
Zenith Radio	8.4

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Golds at New Lows

TORONTO (CP)—Gold shares turned heavy in the final hour today on Toronto exchange and the selling carried prices back for an index loss of close to half a point. A rumor that the miners would call a strike at Kirkland Lake evidently inspired the selling.

Hollinger and Teck-Hughes sold at new low prices for the year. Upper Canada slipped back 15 or more to close around 1.43 and losses of 5 to 10 cents were showing at the close for Macassa, Preston, Kerr-Addison, Lamaque and Wright-Hargreaves.

Nickel, Noranda and Hudson Bay maintained a firm to strong front and cheaper base metals to post small gains were Steel Rock, Sherritt and Ventures. Base Metals Corporation weakened $\frac{1}{4}$ to 7.

Better prices ruled for the utility, food and miscellaneous industrials.

In the western oils, Home was slightly improved.

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Wrong About Stalin

From Ottawa Journal

When Josef Stalin shocked the world with his 1939 nonaggression pact with Hitler, most of us thought him a monster. One of the certainties of a day of confusion and doubt had been the implacable hostility between Communist Russia and Nazi Germany. Between two such divergent ideologies there could be no possible compromise, no peaceful meeting ground. As certain as the earth was round, Stalin would never make a deal with Hitler.

Yet it happened—and at a moment of desperate crisis, with the world slipping into another war. Stalin had become of all things an "appeaser" to "save the Soviet Union." Cynically, deliberately, he was pushing the world over the brink of the precipice, joining with Hitler in the "revolution of Nihilism."

This was the obvious if incredible interpretation; this how thing looked on the surface. Only when Hitler wheeled upon his supposed confederate, attacking Russia with sudden fury, did the world begin looking for some other explanation.

The best explanation we have seen, certainly the most logical, appears in Current History from the pen of Kenneth S. Davis, a specialist in foreign relations. Briefly, Davis' theory is this:

Stalin knew in September, 1939, that Hitler and the German High Command were bent upon world conquest. Hitler also was convinced that neither France nor Britain could have any effect whatever on the military results in Poland. The question for him was whether, after Poland was crushed, the drive of Hitler would be against Russia or against the western democracies. Hitler's decision would be based on his weighing of relative costs. Would it cost more to take on Russia then, or later, after the democracies were crushed?

Russia, then, stood alone against the tremendous weight of Hitler, aided by the central European countries and Italy, and perhaps by an eager Japan. And Russia wasn't ready. The Soviet boundaries, drawn by the Treaty of Versailles, left Leningrad in an exposed position only 20 miles from the Finnish frontier. The Ukraine was hard to defend against highly mechanized forces. And the Russian heavy goods industry had probably not at that time produced war materials in anything like sufficient quantity to balance those of Hitler. In short, the Russian chances for victory, in case of a German attack in 1939, were slight. Russia, in fact, was certain to lose, and lose quickly; after which, what? With Russian wheat and oil, with a not inconsiderable Russian heavy goods industry ready for his organization, and able now to turn almost his entire force to the west, Hitler would have been immeasurably stronger. Might have been on his way to world conquest.

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HOW ELDERLY WOMAN ESCAPED BACKACHE

Many people think that backache is a trouble that comes naturally with advancing years, but this woman of 71 proves that it is not. "I suffered for a long time from backache," she writes, "but put it down to my age (71). Reading your announcement, I thought I would try Kruschen Salts. I have been taking it for some time and have found great relief. I thought you would like to know it has done me a world of good."—(Mrs.) E.R.

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effort on her own war production, suspended temporarily the seven-hour day, strengthened the armies of her western border and did what she could (internally and through export failures) to sabotage Hitler's war effort. Only a few weeks after the Hitler-Soviet pact, Molotov issued a call for world revolution—and in his statement linked Germany with the capitalist nations.

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Wage Dispute Hearing Ends

The board of conciliation considering submissions of waiters, engineer employees and deck workers of the C.P.R. Coast Steamship Service for increases in basic wages and improved living conditions, completed hearings here Thursday afternoon.

The board rose with an expression from its chairman, Mr. Justice Sidney Smith, of the hope it would find guidance to present a recommendation satisfactory both to employees and the company.

The company's case, conducted by J. E. McMullen, K.C., was completed at the afternoon sitting with the catering superintendent of the triangle run stating, as a steward in 1909, he had received gratuities equal to if not exceeding his actual wages.

During the morning stewards had said their tips were negligible.

J. L. Pateman, representing the employees, contended nothing had been submitted by the company to show the pay rates to be fair or reasonable. He contended comparisons with wages paid on other ships were unfair since service on them was not the same. He repeated his contentions regarding the basic wage rates being below government-recognized subsistence levels.

FIGURES NOT PROVED

Mr. McMullen argued employees figures had not been proved and could not be considered acceptable.

In reply Mr. Pateman suggested the company's figures had not been proved, but that the employees' group, having handled similar questions before, knew the success of their presentations depended on their truth.

Mr. McMullen drew the board's attention to the order-in-council setting forth the argument wages in force from 1926 to December 16, 1940, should be considered generally fair and reasonable unless shown to be unduly low or subnormal.

The comparison between wage rates for the groups affected and those of similar employment in the Canadian National, Union Steamships and Canada Steamships disclosed the scale of pay to be materially the same.

"It is clearly shown," Mr. McMullen said, "wages are normal if normal means wages usually paid in that type of industry."

No evidence had been adduced to show they were too low, he added.

WOULD GET BONUS

If the board found there should be no change in existing basic wages, then the groups in the dispute would receive the \$8.36 a month cost of living bonus given other departments of the C.P.R. service, he said.

The only dispute, said Mr. Pateman, was that over the basic wage rate. The rates were low and subnormal within the meaning of the act and the board was entitled to find for a wage increase, he said, before stating living conditions on some of the ships were unsatisfactory.

At a meeting in the Municipal Hall wardens were enrolled for a special branch of the engineering service to care for water mains in event of damage by air raid or bombardment. The municipality has been divided into sectors and at this meeting the enrolment of wardens for each sector was about completed.

Wardens of district 1B met Wednesday. It was decided to meet twice weekly in future, on Monday at 8 for advanced training and group practice, which will be followed shortly by combined practices, and on Wednesday for the first aid class.

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SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



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"The only reason you object to Jenny's boy friend is because he's a lieutenant, and as a World War private you have to watch yourself or you'll salute."

Low Army Morale Blamed on Civilians

By PETER EDSON

WASHINGTON—New policies aimed at bucking up army morale may be expected as a result of the appointment of Frederick Osborn of New York as a brigadier general in charge of the morale branch of the army staff in Washington.

General Osborn was a Red Cross worker in France in the last war, has been a member of the Joint Army and Navy Committee on Welfare and Recreation for some time. He is 52, was graduated from Princeton in 1910. From 1914 to 1917 he was vice-president and treasurer of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton railway, and after the war he went back to the road for two years as president. From 1921 to 1938 he was a partner in G. M. P. Murphy and Company, bankers, and among his other connections today is a directorship of the Fifth Avenue Bank of New York. His 6 feet 8 inches make him the army's tallest officer.

The morale organization which General Osborn inherits from Brig.-Gen. James A. Ulio, who re-

signed because of ill health, has been entirely built since the beginning of the present emergency. The pre-1940 army of 135,000 men didn't have to worry much about morale, but the induction of 1,500,000 national guardsmen and selectees has made it very much of a problem indeed.

In the camps themselves, everything possible has been done to make life enjoyable in off-duty hours. An elaborate program of movies has been booked. Theatricals and musical entertainment have been encouraged. Athletics have been sponsored. Post exchanges have been made almost as universal in their appeal as corner drug stores. Libraries and camp publications have been well stocked and supported. Service clubs for the boys and guest houses for their folks are at all camps of any size at all. And civilian co-operation has been sought and received in every conceivable form.

CIVILIANS PARTLY TO BLAME

What the army brass hats would probably like to know is

how you can have good soldier morale when the civilian morale is as low as it admittedly is, with labor leaders dissatisfied, though they have better conditions than ever before, with farm leaders fighting for still higher parties and resisting price control, with business scared because it can't go on "as usual."

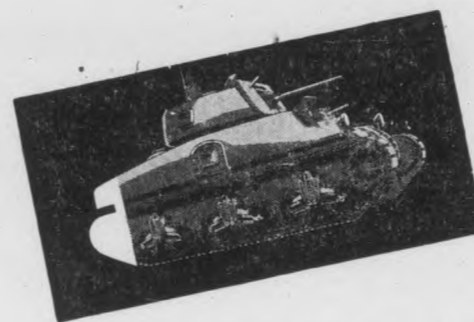
One idea on remedying this situation is that the morale of the army can be bucked up to such a point that it can be a force for dispelling some of the gloom at home. It is a democratic army's privilege to gripe—at food, at pay, at officers, at everything. But if even just a little pride in the army could be instilled into the letters which the soldiers write home, it would not only do the army but the country as a whole a lot of tonic good.

Regular army officers look for a big improvement of the morale situation during and after the present manoeuvres. There the soldiers will have been kept busy, will have lived in the field with their officers, will have come to know what real soldiering is.

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